

ANNUAL REPORTS  
of the Town Officers  
**HAVERHILL**  
NEW HAMPSHIRE

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**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
**OF THE OFFICERS OF THE**  
**TOWN OF HAVERHILL**  
**AND OF THE OFFICERS OF**  
**HAVERHILL AND WOODSVILLE**  
**School Districts and Precincts**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDING**  
**December 31, 1947**

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## OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF HAVERHILL

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**Moderator**—Norman McMeekin

**Town Clerk**—H. Leslie Thompson

**Selectmen**—T. Borden Walker, Roy E. Dunkley,  
Carroll T. Stoddard

**Highway Agent**—Leon H. Bigelow

**Tax Collector**—H. Leslie Thompson

**Town Treasurer**—Horace B. Knight

**Health Officer**—John L. Farnham

**Chief of Police**—Edward G. Hobbs

**Special Officers**—Henry S. Knox, Wilfred J. Larty,  
Marion W. Young, Glenn Fearon, Tracy  
L. Robie, Joseph Maccini, Maurice R.  
Young, Fred C. Lee, Sr., Edward A. Foss,  
E. B. Curtis

**Judge of Municipal Court**—Harold K. Davison

**Associate Justice**—Herman S. Mitchell

**Dog Constables**—Fred C. Lee, Sr., Henry S. Knox

**Supervisors of the Check List**—Daniel Carr, Arthur E.  
Bailey, Gladys Pike

**Trustees of Trust Funds**—Emile Blank, Herbert E.  
Smith, H. S. Mitchell.

**Library Trustees**—Mrs. G. H. McGaw, Maurice H. Ran-  
dall, Robert H. Large.

**Cemetery Commissioners**—Herbert E. Smith, H. Earl  
Craig, Albert Morse, Edwin Spooner, Os-  
car M. Stone

**Fence Viewers**—Arthur R. Kimball, Fred C. Lee, Sr.

**Budget Committee**—Horace B. Knight, Wm. J. Eich-  
horn, Robert H. Large, Theodore Cham-  
berlin

**Auditors**—Emile Blank, Douglas R. Newbold.

# ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

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## State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Haverhill in the County of Grafton qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following matters:

Article 1. To choose a town clerk.

Article 2. To hear the reports of Selectmen, Treasurer, Cemetery Commissioners and any other Town officers heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 3. To choose one Selectman for the term of three years, a Town Treasurer, one or more highway agents, one or more auditors, one library trustee for the term of three years, one Cemetery Commissioner with the term of five years, one trustee of trust funds for the term of three years, and all other necessary town officers.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to make any alterations in the amount of money required to be raised and appropriated for the ensuing year for the support of the town, as recommended by the finance committee in its budget report, to raise and appropriate all sums so determined for the purposes so determined, and to pass any other vote relating thereto.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to contribute funds for the construction of Class V highways as provided in Chapter 188, Part 13, Laws of 1945, and to raise and appropriate the sum required for this purpose.



Article 6. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to issue interest bearing notes or orders to provide for current year's expenses in anticipation of taxes.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to distribute the inventory blanks by mail or at the time they examine the taxable property.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town through Tax Collectors' deeds.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to appoint or elect a budget committee to supervise the appropriations of the town and to recommend to the next annual meeting the amounts to be raised for various purposes, such recommendations to be printed in the next annual report.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to convey all its right, title and interest in and to the west half of Lot 1 and Lots 7 and 10 in the town, known as "leased lots," to the State of New Hampshire, for a nominal sum.

Article 11. If the preceding article is adopted, to see if the town will authorize the selectmen to execute all necessary papers to carry said vote into effect.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to investigate the present status of all leases on leased lots in said town, to rescind all leases not in good standing, and to report in full on all outstanding leases in the next town report; and to pass any other vote relative to the sale of these lots or relative to conveying them to present lease holders on reasonable terms.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to purchase a power shovel, and if so, to raise and appropriate the sum required for this purpose.

Article 15. To transact any other business proper to come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 6th day of February, 1948.

T. BORDEN WALKER,

ROY E. DUNKLEY,

CARROLL STODDARD,

Selectmen of Haverhill

## REPORT OF SELECTMEN

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To the taxpayers and citizens of Haverhill:

We herewith submit our report for the year ending January 31, 1948. Our detailed statement will be found on the following pages.

The town books were audited by Emile Blank and D. R. Newbold, town auditors. The books were found to be in excellent condition. The auditors came January 16th and finished January 21st.

Old Age Assistance payments have risen sharply during the past year, and will call for a larger amount to be raised this year. \$6,221.12 was spent on Old Age Assistance in 1946 and \$7,830.66 in 1947.

By reassessing town property the selectmen were very pleased in the reduction of the tax rate, and feel that this lower rate should be an incentive to future business enterprises coming into town.

The First National warehouse in North Haverhill has proved to be a great benefit to the town. This has not only helped decrease the tax rate, but has given a great deal of employment to people in town.

The American Legion home in Woodsville is certainly a fine building. We are proud that the Legion has such a fine organization back of them that have worked so hard, and enabled the boys to have such an excellent meeting place.

The new telephone building in Woodsville is also an asset to the town, and should give the people even better service than they have had in the past.

T. BORDEN WALKER,

ROY E. DUNKLEY,

CARROLL T. STODDARD,

Selectmen of Haverhill



## REPORT OF BUDGET COMMITTEE

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Budget as submitted for the consideration of the voters of the Town of Haverhill for the year 1948.

	Budget 1948	Expenditures 1947
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	Budget of	Expenditures
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 2,857.49
Town Officers' Expenses	3,500.00	3,138.17
Election and Registration	700.00	113.52
Municipal Courts	575.00	573.00
Municipal Buildings	1,500.00	1,204.95
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY		
Police	3,000.00	2,917.76
Fire Department	1,000.00	938.55
Blister Rust	400.00	400.00
HEALTH DEPT. INCLUDING HOSPITAL		
Health Dept.	2,000.00	2,229.91
HIGHWAYS		
Town Maintenance	22,000.00	13,419.13
T. R. A.	975.00	974.07
Libraries	3,000.00	1,500.00
Town Poor	3,500.00	4,188.97
Old Age Assistance	9,000.00	7,830.66
Memorial Day	150.00	150.00
Cemeteries	2,000.00	1,750.00
Bond Reduction	5,000.00	5,000.00
Interest	1,300.00	1,360.56
White Mt. Region	351.00	351.00
Dean Airport		3,732.68
County Tax	11,797.50	12,415.81
Woodsville Fire District	7,700.00	16,763.90
No. Haverhill Precinct	2,000.00	2,250.00
Precinct of Haverhill Corner	1,800.00	1,800.00
Woodsville Union		
High School	35,445.00	37,483.77

Haverhill School District	43,462.00	43,407.78
Reserve Replacement of Equipment	2,000.00	2,000.00
Taxes bought by town		4,110.79
Special Poll Taxes		88.94
Loans Paid		35,000.00
Grader Expense		3,623.68
All other purposes		2,536.10
Balance Dec. 31, 1947		951.07
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	\$167,655.50	\$217,062.26

### Sources of Revenue

	Budget 1948	Receipts 1947
<b>FROM STATE</b>		
Savings Bank Tax	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 3,501.78
Railroad Tax	1,500.00	1,519.06
Interest and Dividend	2,200.00	2,583.95
<b>FROM LOCAL SOURCES</b>		
Automobile Permits	6,000.00	6,576.22
Licenses	350.00	897.00
Rent of Town Hall	300.00	571.00
Municipal Court	500.00	650.00
Leased Land Rent	50.00	67.60
Poll Taxes	2,000.00	2,884.71
Cost and Interest	300.00	635.19
Bank Stock Tax	450.00	457.60
Special Polls		83.56
Loans		35,000.00
Rent of Airport		315.00
Rent of Property Owned		120.00
Sale of Deeded Property		472.05
Rent of Grader		1,006.00
Sale of Property Owned		100.00
Property Taxes	103,155.57	141,646.12
Taxes Redeemed	5,000.00	5,304.15
All other receipts		2,904.19
Balance Dec. 31, 1946		9,767.08

Amount to be raised by Property

Taxes excluding County, Pre-

cincts, Schools, and Poll Taxes,

Cash and Receipts from local

Sources and State To

balance the Budget 42,349.93

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\$167,655.50 \$217,062.26

## INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF HAVERHILL

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Land and Buildings	\$3,061,745.00
Electric Plants	246,990.00
151 Horses	19,060.00
1780 Cows	197,710.00
459 Neat Stock	37,560.00
26 Sheep	315.00
28 Hogs	1,050.00
1875 Fowls	2,815.00
150 Fur Bearing Animals	1,200.00
Wood and Lumber	18,462.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	8,425.00
Stock in Trade	506,449.00
Mills and Machinery	69,850.00
Growing Wood and Timber	20,275.00
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Total Valuation	\$4,171,631.00
Total exclusive of Soldiers' Exemptions	\$4,083,706.00
Woodsville Precinct Valuation	1,815,092.00
Town District Valuation	1,661,650.00
North Haverhill Precinct Valuation	285,277.00
Haverhill Precinct Valuation	321,687.00
Soldiers' Exemptions	87,925.00

## TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Taxpayers of the Town of Haverhill, N. H.:

I submit my report as Treasurer for the year ending December 31, 1947.

Balance December 31, 1946	\$ 9,767.08
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H. Leslie Thompson, Collector

1947 Property Tax	135,099.67
1946 Property Tax	6,324.31
1945 Property Tax	174.67
1943 Property Tax	11.77
1942 Property Tax	35.70
Cash and Interest	197.40
1947 Regular Polls	2,206.00
1946 Regular Polls	622.00
1945 Regular Polls	36.00
1944 Regular Polls	16.07
1943 Regular Polls	4.64
1945 Special Polls	56.56
1944 Special Polls	27.00
Redeemed Taxes	5,304.15
Cash and Interest	437.79
Bank Stock	457.60

From State

Savings Bank Tax	3,501.78
Railroad Tax	1,519.06
Interest and Dividend	2,583.95
Bounties	102.50
Fire Bills	138.43
Old Age Assistance Refund	563.50

## Miscellaneous

Automobile Permits	\$ 6,576.22
Dog Licenses	599.80
Municipal Court	650.00
Leased Land Rent	67.60
Rent Property Owned	120.00
Rent Town Hall	571.00
Licenses	897.00



Sale Timber French Lot	862.76
Sale Deeded Property	472.05
Sale Property Owned	100.00
Sale of Histories	15.00
Rent of Airport	315.00
Loans	35,000.00
Gravel Sold	298.80
Rent of Grader	1,006.00
Refunds Town Poor	260.00
Other Refunds	55.00
Miscellaneous	8.40
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	\$217,062.26
<b>Disbursements</b>	
Selectmen's Orders	\$216,111.19
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Balance Dec. 31, 1947	951.07
Outstanding Orders	315.38
Unexpended Appropriations	
Town Hall repairs	\$ 1,250.00
Painting Woodsville-Wells	
River Bridge	1,000.00
Reserve for replacement	
of Equipment	2,000.00
Dean Airport	2,500.00
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	\$ 6,750.00
Town Indebtedness	
Bonds Outstanding Jan. 1, 1947	\$42,000.00
Bonds No. 49-50-51	
1931 Issue Paid	3,000.00
Bonds No. 11-12 1941	
Issue Paid	2,000.00
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	5,000.00
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Bonds Outstanding Jan. 1, 1948	\$37,000.00
Temporary Notes Outstanding	None
All matured coupons have been paid	
	H. B. KNIGHT,
	Treasurer

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENSES

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### Detail No. 1, Town Officers' Salaries

H. B. Knight, Treasurer	\$ 90.00
H. Leslie Thompson, Collector	1,299.99
Maurice R. Young, Selectman	105.00
T. Borden Walker, Selectman	317.50
Roy E. Dunkley, Selectman	680.00
Carroll Stoddard, Selectman	365.00

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Total	\$2,857.49
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### Detail No. 2, Town Officers' Expenses

Woodsville Opera Block Ass'n.	\$ 180.00
H. Leslie Thompson	864.29
Crowley & Lunt	13.50
Woodsville Fire District	9.00
U. S. Auto & Truck Guide	15.25
Fred C. Lee	5.75
Brown & Saltmarsh	10.15
Arlene S. Wells	14.85
Sargent Bros.	19.20
Dearth Agency	90.98
F. J. Shores	76.15
Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc.	72.86
Richard Morey	1.00
Woodsville Furniture Co.	29.25
N. E. Tel. & Tel.	49.16
R. T. Bartlett Ins.	171.71
Houston Agency	1.79
Herman S. Mitchell	45.00
Woodsville National Bank	17.03
N. H. City & Town Clerks Ass'n.	2.00
Twin State Pub. Co.	854.20
Cecil Langway	4.50
Assoc. of N. H. Assessors	2.00
Herman Wilmot	47.78
Ruby Adams	4.00
Anna D. Proctor	.90
Lawrence Hardy	10.00
Maurice R. Young	38.75

T. Borden Walker	17.20
Carroll Stoddard	92.48
Roy E. Dunkley	206.80
Caroline Southworth	130.24
Central Vt. Public Service Corp.	1.00
E. B. Mann & Co.	.20
Wheeler & Clark	39.20

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\$ 3,138.17

**Detail No. 3, Election & Registration**

D. Carr, Supervisor	\$ 44.60
Gladys P. Pike, Supervisor	36.72
Arthur E. Bailey, Supervisor	23.20
N. A. McMeekin, Moderator	9.00

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Total \$ 113.52

**Detail No. 4, Municipal Court**

H. K. Davison, Judge	\$ 300.00
Cecil Langway, Janitor	138.00
Arthur Delaney, Janitor	15.00
Moosilauke Lodge No. 25, Rent	120.00

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Total \$573.00

**Details No. 5, Town Hall & Clerk's Office**

Leslie Kimball, Janitor	\$ 144.15
Charles Irwin, labor	13.10
Wm. H. Slight, coal	51.09
Young's Store, supplies	.94
H. B. Knight, Treas. Approp. unexpended	750.00
Central Vt. Public Service Corp., lights	55.60
N. E. Tel. & Tel., telephone	38.46
Geo. Applebee, cutting wood	120.00
No. Haverhill W. & Light Dist.	12.00
Frederick Erb, supplies	1.60
Cota's Store, supplies	.90
Caldbeck & Cosgrove, supplies	1.92
Waxine Co., supplies	4.53
E. B. Mann & Co., supplies	4.66
Harvey's Music Parlor	6.00

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Total \$ 1,204.95

**Detail No. 6, Police Department**

E. G. Hobbs, chief	\$ 2,203.10
E. B. Curtis	16.80
B. & M. R. R., Treas., rent	55.00
Maurice R. Young	49.85
G. R. Fearon	73.50
H. S. Knox	248.35
Joseph Maccini	35.53
E. A. Foss	31.50
Neal M. Kimball	31.49
Bartlett Ins. Agency	15.15
N. E. Tel. & Tel.	33.40
Fred C. Lee, Sr.	31.84
T. L. Robie	92.25

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Total	\$ 2,917.76
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**Detail No. 7, Fire Department**

Harry A. Clark, Warden	\$ 194.85
No. Haverhill Fire Dept.	374.25
State of New Hampshire	30.00
Woodsville Fire District	339.45

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Total	\$ 938.55
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**Detail No. 8, Blister Rust**

John H. Foster, State Forester	\$ 400.00
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**Detail No. 9, Bounties**

H. Leslie Thompson, T. Clerk	\$ 109.00
Henry Page, 1 Bear (Selectmen's Order)	5.00

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Total	\$ 114.00
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**Detail No. 10, Damage by Dogs**

H. S. Knox, dog officer	\$ 75.40
Fred C. Lee, dog officer	33.59
Edson C. Eastman, Co. supplies	11.23

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Total	\$ 120.22
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**Detail No. 11, Health Department, Vital Statistics  
and Hospital**

Cottage Hospital	\$ 1,500.00
H. Leslie Thompson, T. Clerk	253.75
John Farnham, Health Officer	373.16
F. P. Dwinell, M.D.	15.25
Rev. Rufus Ansley	1.75
Rev. E. A. Ramige	2.50
L. E. McKinlay, M.D.	3.00
Francis Kasheta, M.D.	1.25
P. M. Choate, M.D.	2.25
E. M. Miller, M.D.	.50
Rev. R. B. Nichols	2.50
Grafton County Farm	38.00
Everett C. Campbell, M.D.	16.25
Harry M. Rowe, M.D.	5.50
R. Gibson Perry, Sr., M.D.	8.50
H. C. Pickwick, M.D.	2.75
S. K. Dearborn, M.D.	3.00

<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2,292.91</b>
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**Detail No. 12, Nell Eastman Acc't.**

Account	\$ 696.81
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**Detail No. 13, White Mountain Region**

H. B. Knight, Treasurer	\$ 351.00
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**Detail No. 14, Town Road Aid**

State of New Hampshire	\$ 974.07
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**Detail No. 15, Dean Airfield**

H. B. Knight, Treas., Unexpended appropriation	\$ 2,500.00
Labor and supplies	1,232.68

<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3,732.68</b>
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**Detail No. 16, Auditing**

State Tax Commission	\$ 187.07
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**Detail No. 17, Libraries**

Woodsville Library Assoc.	\$ 500.00
No. Haverhill Library Assoc.	350.00
Haverhill Library Assoc.	350.00
Pike Library Assoc.	300.00
Total	<hr/> \$ 1,500.00

**Detail No. 18, Town Maintenance**

Leon H. Bigelow	\$ 5,099.38
Maurice Bigelow	1,377.75
Albert Clark	190.40
Kneeland Hatch	183.70
Wm. Smith, Jr.	533.40
Robert Clark	95.90
Ed. Twombly	1.50
R. C. Tuxbury	102.53
Julia Brown	4.00
Charles White	7.54
Clifford Sawyer	158.20
Forrest Wright	40.00
Caldbeck-Cosgrove Corp.	121.28
Fred H. Clark	2.00
Arthur D. Bigelow	611.05
Eugene C. Reed	20.30
Owen Moulton	7.00
Edward Norcross	21.00
Ames Motors	35.20
R. T. Bartlett Ins. Agency	419.91
Eureka Oil Co.	4.70
Bethany Cong. Church	50.00
M. J. Montgomery	50.20
Douglas Brooks	449.90
Richard Lang	19.60
Lionel E. Smith	131.20
Louis T. Pike	5.59
Roy Aremburg	50.91
Wm. H. Slight	116.44
E. I. McCoy	14.46
R. M. Nutter	140.67
M. H. True	3.21
Scruggs Hardware	13.84

Hedge & Mattheis Co.	3.16
Richard Sawyer	492.16
Homer Johnson	7.54
Fred Horne	3.50
Gulf Oil Corp.	862.08
Farmers Feed & Supply Co.	8.41
Richard Allbee	11.40
Marlen Millette	10.80
Loren F. Bort	50.60
Floyd Noyes	25.00
Wm. F. Keyes, Jr.	9.50
Treas. Town of Pomfret	300.00
Maurice Church	20.00
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.	27.17
Hill's	4.95
Eastern Pine Sales Corp.	440.00
Frederick Page	20.00
Fred Sleeper	307.85
Grafton County Feed Co.	7.20
Olin C. Brooks	11.20
Roy C. Abbott	118.50
Roger Jenks	25.20
R. W. Abbott	17.50
James H. Rowe	1.00
Fullerton's Esso	1.50
Glenn W. Gadwah	113.00
Casellini-Venable Corp.	50.26
Charles Elms, Jr.	108.00
Harry Moses	15.00
R. A. Gove	3.79
Harry Chapman	266.00
Clinton Hazlett	4.00
Lawrence E. Smtih	22.20

Total	<hr/> \$13,419.13
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**Detail No. 19 Old Age Assistance**

State Treasurer	\$ 7,830.66
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**Detail No. 20, Town Poor**

Town Poor	\$ 4,188.97
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**Detail No. 21, Special Polls**

State Treasurer	\$ 88.94
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**Detail No. 22, Memorial Day**

American Legion	\$ 150.00
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**Detail No. 23, Refunds**

Norman Johnson, refund on taxi license	\$ 37.50
H. Leslie Thompson, excess remittances	142.45
H. K. Davison, Municipal Court	103.69

Total	\$ 283.64
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**Detail No. 24, Cemeteries**

H. Earl Craig, Treasurer	\$ 1,750.00
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**Detail No. 25, Taxes Bought by Town**

H. Leslie Thompson, Collector	\$ 4,110.79
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**Detail No. 26, Unclassified**

Dearth Agency	\$ 66.00
Forrest Thayer, Cutting & Yarding Lumber	634.56

Total	\$ 700.56
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**Detail No. 27, Interest**

Woodsville National Bank	\$ 1,360.56
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**Detail No. 28, Grades Account**

Grader Account	\$ 3,623.68
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**Detail No. 29, Withholding Tax**

Collector of Internal Revenue	\$ 308.80
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**Detail No. 30, New Equipment**

H. B. Knight, Treasurer	\$ 2,000.00
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**Detail No. 31, Temporary Loans**

Woodsville National Bank	\$35,000.00
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**Detail No. 32, Bonds**

Woodsville National Bank	\$ 5,000.00
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**Detail No. 33, County Tax**

Harry S. Huckins, Treasurer	\$12,415.81
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**Detail No. 34, Precincts**

Woodsville Fire District	\$16,763.90
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Precinct of Haverhill Corner	1,800.00
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North Haverhill Water & Lighting District	2,250.00
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Total	\$20,813.90
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**Detail No. 35, School Districts**

Woodsville School District	\$37,483.77
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Town School District	43,407.78
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Total	\$80,891.55
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## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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To the Selectmen of Haverhill, N. H.:

I herewith submit my report of funds received by me and paid over to the Town Treasurer for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1947:

**Dr.**

**Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:**

For 1946 Permits	\$	140.18**	
For 1947 Permits		6,411.46	
For 1948 Permits		24.58	
			\$ 6,576.22

**Dog Licenses Issued:**

For 8 1946 Licenses	\$	18.35	
For 285 1947 Licenses		640.05	
Total rec'd. for dog licenses	\$	658.40	
Less fees retained			
293 at 20c		58.60	
			\$ 599.80
Sale of Town Histories			15.00
			\$ 7,191.02

Total Debits

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**Remittances to Treasurer:**

a/c Motor Vehicle Permits	\$	6,576.22	
a/c Dog Licenses		599.80	
a/c Sale of Town Histories		15.00	
			\$ 7,191.02

Total Credits

\*\*Note: This figure includes Cash on hand of 60c carried forward from 1946

Respectfully submitted,

H. L. THOMPSON,

Town Clerk



# SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

## AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1947

	Dr.					Tax Sale on Account of Levy of:				
	1946	1945	1944	1943	1942	1941				
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	\$ 4,258.06									
Cash on Hand carried over from 1946		197.24	27.70		3.35					
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes January 1, 1947		1,963.81	1,377.52	321.03	54.58	35.32				
Interest Collected After Sale	60.02	182.82	122.09	60.39	11.54	.68				
<b>Total Debits</b>	<b>\$ 4,318.08</b>	<b>\$ 2,343.87</b>	<b>\$ 1,527.31</b>	<b>\$ 381.42</b>	<b>\$ 69.47</b>	<b>\$ 36.00</b>				
Remittances to Treasurer during year	\$ 2,490.09	\$ 1,634.10	\$ 1,035.03	\$ 102.81	\$ 38.36	\$ 3.76				
Interest remitted	60.02	182.82	122.09	60.39	11.79	.68				
Abatements—During Year	61.63	72.49	150.53	76.68	19.57	31.56				
Deeded to Town—During Year	10.84	39.98	28.41	20.46						
<b>Unredeemed taxes at close of year</b>	<b>1,695.50</b>	<b>414.48</b>	<b>191.25</b>	<b>121.08</b>						
Sub-total					69.72					
Less Excess remittance (Int.)					.25					
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>\$ 4,318.08</b>	<b>\$ 2,343.87</b>	<b>\$ 1,527.31</b>	<b>\$ 381.42</b>	<b>\$ 69.47</b>	<b>\$ 36.00</b>				

Respectfully submitted,

H. L. Thompson,

Tax Collector of Haverhill, N. H.

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

### Levy of 1947

#### Dr.

#### Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes \$141,624.18

Poll Taxes,

Reg. at \$2.00 2,922.00

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Total Warrant \$144,546.18

#### Added Taxes

Property Taxes 817.71

Poll Taxes - Regular at \$2.00 74.00

National Bank Stock Taxes 457.60

Interest Collected 27.18

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Total Debits \$145,922.67

#### Cr.

#### Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes \$135,099.67

Poll Taxes - Regular at \$2.00 2,206.00

National Bank Stock Taxes 457.60

Interest Collected 27.18

Abatements 575.00

Uncollected Taxes as per

Collector's List:

Property Taxes \$ 6,799.22

Poll Taxes - Regular at \$2.00 758.00

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Total Credits \$145,922.67

### Levy of 1946

#### Dr.

#### Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1947:

Property Taxes \$ 6,671.08

Poll Taxes -

Reg. at \$2.00 708.00

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\$ 7,379.08

Added Taxes: Polls at \$2.00	84.00
Interest Collected during Fiscal Year	
Ending December 31, 1947	105.66

Total Debits	<u>105.66</u>	\$ 7,568.74
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Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal  
Year Ending December 31, 1947:

Property taxes	\$ 6,324.31
Poll Taxes - Regular at \$2.00	622.00
Interest collected during year	105.66
Abatements made during year	97.11

Uncollected taxes as per Collector's List:

Property Taxes	337.66
Poll Taxes - Regular at \$2.00	82.00

Total Credits	<u>337.66</u>	\$ 7,568.74
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Respectfully submitted,

H. L. THOMPSON,  
Tax Collector of Haverhill, N. H.

## Levy of 1945

### Dr.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1947      \$      .14

#### Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1947:

Property Taxes    \$    335.53

Poll Taxes -

Reg. @ \$2.00      156.00

Poll Taxes -

Special @ \$3.00    242.56

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\$    734.23

#### Added Taxes:

Poll Taxes - Regular @ \$2.00      2.00

Poll Taxes - Special @ \$3.00      3.00

Interest Collected during Fiscal

Year Ended December 31, 1947    29.79

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Total Debits      \$    769.02

### Cr.

#### Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal

##### Year Ended December 31, 1947:

Property Taxes      \$    174.67

Poll Taxes - Regular @ \$2.00      36.00

Poll Taxes - Special @ \$3.00      56.56

Interest Collected during year      29.79

Abatements made during year      333.32

#### Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

Property Taxes      138.68

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Total Credits      \$    769.02

## Levy of 1944

### Dr.

#### Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1947

Property Taxes    \$    136.03

Poll Taxes -		
Regular @ \$2.00	63.86	
Poll Taxes -		
Special @ \$3.00	103.57	
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		\$ 303.46
Interest Collected during fiscal year	7.97	
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Total Debits		\$ 311.43

Cr.

**Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal  
Year Ended December 31, 1947:**

Poll Taxes - Regular @ \$2.00	\$ 16.07
Poll Taxes - Special @ \$3.00	27.00
Interest Collected during year	7.97
Abatements made during year	260.39
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Total Credits	\$ 311.43

Respectfully submitted,

H. L. THOMPSON,

Tax Collector of Haverhill, N. H.



## Levy of 1943

### Dr.

#### Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1947:

Property Taxes	\$	93.65	
Poll Taxes -			
Regular @ \$2.00		52.64	
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			\$ 146.29
Interest collected during fiscal year		12.28	
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Total Debits			\$ 158.57

### Cr.

#### Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal

#### Year Ended December 31, 1947:

Property Taxes	\$	11.77	
Poll Taxes - Regular @ \$2.00		4.64	
Interest collected during year		12.28	
Abatements made during year		129.88	
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Total Credits			\$ 158.57

## Levy of 1942

### Dr.

#### Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1947:

Property Taxes	\$	35.70	
Poll Taxes -			
Regular @ \$2.00		4.00	
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			\$ 39.70
Interest collected during fiscal year		14.52	
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Total Debits			\$ 54.22

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**Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal**

**Year Ended December 31, 1947:**

Property Taxes	\$	35.70
Interest collected during year		14.52
Abatements made during year		4.00

Total Credits		<hr/>	\$	54.22
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Respectfully submitted,

H. L. THOMPSON,

Tax Collector of Haverhill, N. H.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF  
HAVERHILL MUNICIPAL COURT**

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**January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947**

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1947	\$ 50.66	
Cash collected in fines	1,523.00	
Cash collected in costs	805.85	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,379.51
Paid State Motor Vehicle Commissioner	\$ 1,228.30	
Paid Town of Haverhill	650.00	
Paid Special Justice	12.00	
Paid local officers' fees	241.40	
Paid Fish & Game Commissioner	11.70	
Other Expenses	168.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,311.90
Cash on hand December 31, 1947		67.61
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		\$ 2,379.51

## REPORT OF HAVERHILL MUNICIPAL COURT

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### Criminal Actions in Haverhill Municipal Court From January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

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Motor Vehicle Violations	75
Drunks	61
Fugitives from Justice (Escaped from House of Correction)	4
Larceny	6
Assault	11
Juvenile Cases	11
Miscellaneous	12
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	180

HAROLD K. DAVISON, Justice  
Haverhill Municipal Court

## FOREST FIRE PROBLEMS SERIOUS

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The year 1947 was one of the worst periods of drouth and forest fire occurrence in eastern United State history. Lack of water ruined crops, lowered water levels and dried up brooks everywhere. Three months of deficient rainfall and abnormally high temperatures resulted in many fires which were mostly well controlled and kept within bounds. Only the high winds beginning on October 23rd caused a few fires to escape beyond immediate control. These few fires resulted in burning some 15,000 acres and the loss of 63 or more buildings in four New Hampshire towns.

All October fires were costly. They burned deeply in the ground and required day and night patrol of large crews of men until the rains came late in October. Towns which escaped from serious fires might easily have been in the midst of the most serious conflagrations we had.

Governor Dale closed the woods effective at midnight of October 15th. With the blow-up of October 23rd, a second proclamation closed all back roads and authorized towns to inaugurate patrol. The effect of this was to cut down subsequent fires for the rest of the dry period.

Local fire warden forces performed an admirable job to hold the more than 200 fires that occurred during this October period. Many men were taxed to the utmost as the emergency continued. To them and all those who did their work, the people of New Hampshire owe a debt of gratitude. The state forest fire control agency based on local town wardens and town crews wherever adequately equipped rose to the occasion and met the test in whatever town their services were needed.

It is now time to take stock everywhere of our fire fighting facilities for the season ahead and to make them adequate where necessary. To this end town fire plans and training programs for wardens,

deputies and other key men in each district are being arranged or in progress. If equipment and tools are insufficient properly to equip the available man power in each community with the right tools for the job, they should be provided for at once. The yearly addition of fire tools to the town supply will generally need to be built up. The state sells tools to the towns and shares one-half their cost. Good equipment is important and can help greatly to keep both damage and fire costs at a minimum.

For many years we have requested our wardens not to issue burning permits except on rainy days. This regulation will be in effect again this year, as it is one of the best means of assuring such fires from getting out of control. Nine out of every ten fires can be prevented, 98 percent of all fires being due to human carelessness. Be sure to get a premit for any fire in or near woodland when the ground is free from snow. Be sure your fires are always out before you leave them. Help us in getting the travelling public to keep from throwing out lighted matches or cigarettes. Be careful of all fires in or near woodland.

W. S. CODMAN,

District Chief.

#### 1947 Fire Record

Number of fires	1
Acreage burned	1/20
Number of fire permits issued	93



## WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST CONTROL

### Financial Statement

#### Town of Haverhill, 1947

Town funds expended	\$ 399.75
Cooperative Funds expended	531.23

Total expended	\$ 930.98
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Town funds received	\$ 400.00
Town funds expended	399.75

Balance	.25
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Area covered	1,214
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Currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed	4,572
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**CEMETERY COMMISSION TREASURER'S REPORT**  
**1947**

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**Receipts**

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1947	\$ 671.64
Town Appropriation	1,750.00
H. S. Mitchell, Treas., Trust Funds	654.22
Interest on sinking fund to October 1, 1947	12.26
Sale of Lots	72.50
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	\$ 3,160.62

**Disbursements**

H. E. Smith, Appro. and Int.	
E. Haverhill Cemetery	\$ 193.70
Oscar Stone, Appro. and Int. Ladd St. Cem.	637.53
Edward A. Spooner, Appro. and Int.	
Ctr. H. Cem.	279.00
A. E. Morse, Appro. and Int. No. 6 Cem.	86.00
H. K. Davison, Appro. and Int. Woodsville Cem.	261.34
H. E. Craig, Appro. and Int.	
Horse Meadow Cem.	946.65
The Champion Co., Signs	36.75
E. W. Hodgkins, express	4.27
Woodsville Natl. Bank. service charge	2.52
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	\$ 2,447.76
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1947	712.86
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	\$ 3,160.62

From the balance on hand Dec. 31, 1947 the amount of \$701.51 is in Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank to credit of the sinking fund. The balance of \$11.85 is in the Woodsville National Bank to the credit of the general fund.

Respectfully submitted,

H. EARL CRAIG,

Commissioner

## REPORT ON HORSE MEADOW CEMETERY

Year 1947

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### Receipts

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1947	\$ 86.11
Town Appropriation	750.00
Interest on Trust Fund	196.65
Refund J. Eastman Shortage	524.08
Received for care of lots	340.50
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	\$ 1,897.34

### Disbursements

Water Dept.	\$ 24.34
A. Ladabrouche, labor	1,350.00
Sears & Roebuck, repair parts	1.38
J. E. Jarvis Co., power mower	139.50
Jack Douglass, repairs	8.00
E. W. Hodgkins, express	16.72
Scruggs, Hdr., mdse.	5.44
James Kearney, trucking	6.00
E. States Farmers Echg., Phosphate and grass seed	23.45
Ideal Machine Shop, repairs	37.08
Bartlett Ins. Co., Insurance	6.48
Twin State Tire & Ret. Co., gas and oil	11.00
Chamberlain Green House, flowers	34.50
H. E. Craig, 1 mower and 1 trimmer	17.50
H. E. Craig, Labor and expenses	35.00
Woodsville Nat'l Bank, service charge	3.00
U. S. Post Office, postage	3.00
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	\$ 1,722.39
Cash an hand Dec. 31, 1947	174.95
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	\$ 1,897.34

H. EARL CRAIG,

Commissioner

## REPORT OF NO. 6 CEMETERY, 1947

January 1st, on hand	\$ 11.38	
June 18, Received	5.50	
June 25, Received	75.00	
December 5, Received	5.50	
		\$ 97.38
February, labor	\$ 6.00	
April, labor	6.00	
May, labor	24.00	
Nails	.60	
June, labor	6.00	
July, labor	24.00	
August, labor	12.00	
September, labor	12.00	
	\$ 90.60	
December 31, cash on hand	6.78	
		\$ 97.38

ALBERT E. MORSE, Comm.

## CENTER HAVERHILL CEMETERY REPORT

Edwin Spooner	\$ 29.25
Paul LaMott	30.00
Albert Clark	2.00
Richard Giles	7.00
Douglas Bigelow	4.50
George Windham	12.00
Allen Brown (truck)	5.00
John Oulton	17.50
<b>Equipment and Repairs</b>	
T. Borden Walker, lawn mower & repairs	166.00
Gove and Morrill, grass clippers	3.00
Bill Keyes, welding	7.00
Total	\$ 283.25

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1946	\$ 20.47
Town Appropriation	225.00
Prec. Care Appropriation	54.00
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	\$ 299.47
Labor, Equipment, Repairs	283.25
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Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1947	\$ 16.22

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN SPOONER,

Commissioner

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## REPORT OF LADD STREET, HAVERHILL, CEMETERY

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### Receipts

March 15, 1947 Cash on hand	\$ 90.79
May 22, 1947 Received from Town	100.00
June 23, 1947 Received from Town	100.00
Sept. 29, 1947 Received from Town	200.00
June 18, 1947 Interest from funds	54.48
Oct. 27, 1947 Interest from funds	126.40
Dec. 6, 1947 Interest from funds	56.65
Lot sold	18.00
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	\$ 746.32

### Disbursements

April O. M. Stone, labor	\$ 27.30
Fred Cole, labor	4.80
Stanley Crook, labor	9.80
Scruggs Hdwe., supplies	3.50
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	\$ 45.40
May O. M. Stone, labor	\$ 70.20
Criss Millette, labor	12.00

	Richard Brown, labor	5.85
	Warren Freeman, labor	3.20
	Raymond Wright, labor	5.80
	E. I. McCoy, gas and oil	1.63
	E. M. Riemenschneider, gas and oil	1.50
	O. M. Stone, belts for mower	1.94
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		\$ 102.12
June	Check Serv. Chg. for May	\$ 1.00
	R. R. Bragg, sharpen mower	5.50
	O. M. Stone, labor	42.90
	E. M. Riemenschneider, gas and oil	1.85
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		\$ 51.25
July	Check Serv. Chg. for June	\$ 1.00
	E. I. McCoy, gas and oil	1.89
	O. M. Stone, labor	41.00
	S. Stone, labor	35.00
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		\$ 78.89
Aug.	Check Serv. Chg. for July	\$ .50
	O. M. Stone, labor	26.40
	S. Stone, labor	18.60
	E. I. McCoy, gas and oil	1.90
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		\$ 47.40
Sept.	Check Serv. Chg. for Aug.	\$ .50
	O. M. Stone, labor	30.10
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		\$ 30.60
Oct.	Check Serv. Chg. for Sept.	\$ .50
	Criss Millette, labor	25.50
	O. M. Stone, labor	31.20
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		\$ 57.20



Nov.	Check Serv. Chg. for Oct.	\$	.50
	O. M. Stone, labor		26.00
	Caldbeck-Cosgrove Corp., for cement		3.15
	O. M. Stone, rent of personal mower		10.00
		\$	39.65
Dec.	Check Serv. Chg. for Nov.	\$	.50
	Check Serv. Chg. for Dec.		.50
	H. E. Craig, for lot sold		18.00
		\$	19.00
		\$	471.51
December 31, 1947,	cash on hand	\$	274.81

O. M. STONE,  
Commissioner

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## H. E. SMITH IN ACCOUNT WITH E. HAVERHILL CEMETERY

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### Receipts

Jan. 1, '47	Cash balance	\$	182.22
June 25	Interest from Trust Funds		21.85
June 25	a/c Town appropriation		100.00
Sept. 30	a/c Town Appropriation		50.00
Dec. 8	Interest from Trust Funds		21.85
		\$	375.92

### Disbursements

May 21 '47	D. S. Hines, labor	\$	34.50
29	D. S. Hines, labor		31.44
June 25	Wire fencing		91.44
27	D. S. Hines, labor		29.36
July 16	D. S. Hines, labor		18.75

Aug. 8	D. S. Hines, labor	18.80
	B. & M. R. R. freight on fencing	6.44
Aug. 19	Labor building fence and paint	
	and painting	41.23
Sept. 4	D. S. Hines, labor	13.67
6	Scruggs Hardware, chain and snaps	7.94
Oct. 1	H. E. Smith 2nd hand power mower	30.00
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		\$ 323.57
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Dec. 31	Cash balance	\$ 52.35

HERBERT E. SMITH,

Commissioner

## TRUST FUNDS

### Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

For the year ending December 31, 1947

There are in the hands of the Trustees, bequeathed to the Town of Haverhill, the following funds, the income shown being the amount paid during the year just ended:—

Name of Fund	Amt. of Fund	Income
Samuel S. Southard for School purposes	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 100.50
Mrs. Mary D. Carbee, Cottage Hospital	400.00	8.04
John Dexter Locke Memorial Fund, Latin Prize	1,000.00	137.95
John Dexter Locke Memorial Fund, Improvement Prize	500.00	10.05
John Dexter Locke Memorial Fund, Haverhill Library	1,000.00	20.10
Haverhill Library Assn.	6,359.17	160.60
Kate McKean Johnston Fund for Haverhill Public Library	500.00	10.05
<i>Haverhill Cemetery—</i>		
M. S. Williams Lot	\$ 200.00	\$ 4.00
Martha M. Hurlbutt	100.00	2.00
J. Leroy Bell	100.00	2.00
Rebekah E. Webster	100.00	2.00
Kate Mack. Johnston	300.00	6.00
Harriet Platt	200.00	4.00
E. B. Pike	500.00	10.00
Charles G. Smith	200.00	4.00
A. W. Lyman	100.00	2.00
Nettie Crawford	100.00	2.00
Donovan for J. S. Nichols Lot	200.00	4.00
Solon Baker for Jewett Lot	50.00	1.00
Samuel Page Lot	200.00	4.00
Charles Carpenter Lot	100.00	2.00
Winn Lot	50.00	1.00
Chester Corliss	50.00	1.00
T. L. Hartley Lot	132.93	2.64
The Lamb Fund	100.00	2.00
Clarice Elliott Tarbell Fund	100.00	2.00
Asa Harriman Fund	100.00	2.00

*General Fund*—This is split up into Funds  
as follows:—

Amos Karleton, Est.	\$ 315.29
Milo Bailey, Est.	100.00
Sarah A. Carleton, Est.	300.00
Mrs. Joseph Poor	100.00

Hale A. Johnston Fund	50.00
Mrs. M. D. Carbee	50.00
<b>Mrs. J. A. Page</b>	<b>100.00</b>
John Reding Fund	100.00
Carrie A. Towle, Est.	400.00
Mary E. Flanders, Est.	150.00
Edward B. Wilson, Est.	250.00
Ada L. Janes, Est.	200.00
Helen M. Walcott	50.00
Frederick W. Page, Est.	200.00
F. P. Winn, Est.	50.00
Jennie Corliss Carpenter Fund	50.00
George R. Kimball, Est.	300.00
Mrs. Mattie Humphrey	50.00
Mrs. W. G. King	50.00
Balance Assumed to be accrued Interest	2,518.21

	5,383.50	126.00
Paul M. Howe	100.00	2.00
Alfred O. Messers	83.00	1.66
John D. Sloane	100.00	2.00
George H. Westgate	300.00	6.00
Arabelle G. Learned	100.00	2.00
Bittinger Fund	200.00	4.00
Don Winn Fund	100.00	2.00
Margaret B. Squires	200.00	4.00
F. M. & L. R. Morrison	100.00	2.00
Mary A. Tabor	100.00	2.00
George Tabor	100.00	2.00
Jeremy L. Cross Lot	200.00	4.00
Andrew Pike Lot	200.00	4.00
C. E. Bittenger Lot—"F" Bonds	111.00	0.00
Maggie J. Day Lot	200.00	4.00
Eastman - Giles	200.00	4.00
Clark & Isabel Roberts	100.00	2.00
E. M. Clough	100.00	1.83
O. S. Taylor	200.00	2.00
<i>East Haverhill Cemetery—</i>		
Louise Eaton for Currier Lot	\$ 200.00	\$ 4.00
Mrs. C. H. Parmalee for Warren Lot	100.00	2.00
Emily Garland for Knight Lot	75.00	1.50
Emma Langmaid Blaisdell for Langmaid Lot	100.00	2.00
E. B. Pike (Relative of)	500.00	10.00
G. W. Hollins	50.00	1.00
Burns H. Pike	50.00	1.00
Solon Baker for H. S. Baker Lot	50.00	1.00
Milo K. Woodbury	100.00	2.00
O. D. Eastman for Eastman Lot	300.00	6.00
John W. & Frank D. Cutting	100.00	2.00
D. H. Tibbetts Fund	100.00	2.00
Alice J. Cutting Fund	50.00	1.00
C. J. Pike	110.42	2.20
Daniel D. Page	100.00	2.00

Harry H. Pike	200.00	4.00
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*Center Haverhill Cemetery—*

Mrs. James George for Mason Lot	\$ 150.00	\$ 3.00
Louisa M. Gannet for Gannet Lot	50.00	1.00
Wm. Oakes	100.00	2.00
George C. Smith	200.00	4.00
Daniel W. Meader	50.00	1.00
Lucetta S. Pike for E. & A. Pike Lot	100.00	2.00
Ellen S. Mann	150.00	3.00
Horace Holmes	50.00	1.00
Louise Shaw for Shaw Lot	100.00	2.00
Frank L. Chase	200.00	4.00
Geo. A. Clark Lot	200.00	4.00
Martha A. Keyser Lot	50.00	1.00
Solon & Theodore Swift Lot	50.00	1.00
S. D. Tilton Fund	100.00	2.00
Milton Young Lot	100.00	2.00
Samuel H. Chamberlin Lot	100.00	2.00
Levi B. Bisbee Lot	50.00	1.00
Jonas N. Brown Lot	100.00	2.00
Rev. Geo. E. Brown Lot	50.00	1.00
C. E. Miller Lot	100.00	2.00
George H. Noyes Lot	100.00	2.00
George and Fred Aldrich Lot	300.00	6.00
Wilbur F. Pike	50.00	1.00
Levi W. Hildreth	100.00	2.00

*No. 6 Cemetery—*

Jeffers for Jeffers Lot	400.00	8.00
Mittie Robie for Morse Lot	100.00	2.00
Mary Wright for Jeffers Lot	50.00	1.00

*Horse Meadow Cemetery—*

W. E. Lawrence	50.00	1.00
Viola J. Olney for Olney Lot	100.00	2.00
Viola J. Olney for Glover Lot	100.00	2.00
A. P. Corliss	50.00	1.00
John W. Jackson	100.00	2.00
Franklin Crouch	500.00	10.00
Thomas B. Jackson	100.00	2.00
Coburn Bartlett for Bartlett & Pennock	300.00	6.00
Sarah N. Nutter for French	50.00	1.00
Ida M. Hunt	300.00	6.00
Wm. S. Morse	50.00	1.00
J. M. Nutter	200.00	4.00
Chas. F. Carr	100.00	2.00
Gracia A. Morse	200.00	4.00
W. B. Titus	100.00	2.00
Emma J. Mitchell for David Mitchell	100.00	2.00
Mary Edna Merrill Fund	200.00	4.00
Albert F. Kimball	200.00	4.00



Horace Ranno	75.00	1.50
L. C. Butler Lot	200.00	4.00
Ida M. Traganza Lot	50.00	1.00
Lizzie A. Davison	100.00	2.00
Hubert Eastman & J. G. Chamberlin Lot	200.00	4.00
J. Henrietta Titus	400.00	8.00
J. Henrietta Titus—Cogswell Lot	100.00	2.00
Milo H. Annis	200.00	4.00
E. Davison	50.00	1.00
H. F. King	200.00	4.00
A. F. Boswell—Chas. S. Newell Lot	50.00	1.00
H. C. Phillips Fund	25.00	.50
Mary A. Kimball	100.00	2.00
John W. Buckley	200.00	4.00
Ira Whitcher	300.00	6.00
Rosell Gale	300.00	6.00
John Eastman Shortage	3,566.44	524.08
Henry E. Chamberlin Fund	22.77	.44
Lemuel J. Southard Fund	100.00	2.00
George Watson Fund	200.00	4.00
Eva B. Ingalls Fund—Bartlett Lot	100.00	2.00
Wellington Lovejoy	200.00	4.00
Joseph H. Barney Fund	200.00	4.00
Eugene B. & Ella M. Lane Fund	100.00	2.00
Wm. H. & Carrie S. Lane	100.00	2.00
Wilbur W. Titus	100.00	2.00
Martha A. Irwin	100.00	2.00
Webster Fund	19.77	0.00
Carleton K. Kinne Fund	8.05	0.00
Moses Burnham Fund	15.12	0.00
Geo. W. Libby Fund	15.64	0.00
Peter E. Traganza	15.64	0.00
Dr. Henry B. Leonard	20.89	0.00
Geo. H. St. Clair	14.57	0.00
Emery F. Hood	5.47	0.00
David Whitcher Fund	17.36	0.00
Henry E. Chamberlin Fund	55.91	0.00
Mary Jane Wright Fund	0.00	0.00
Lafayette Morse Fund	0.00	0.00
Peter Traganza Fund	100.00	2.00
Geo. E. Hibbard Fund	0.00	0.00
Southard Fund	0.00	0.00
Walter Stickney Fund	200.00	4.00
Manus H. Perkins	100.00	2.00
Percy Deming	150.00	3.00
Kimball Keyser Lot	300.00	6.00
Craig-Brown Lot	100.00	2.00
George F. & Henry Smith Lot	100.00	2.00
Sarah J. Evans	100.00	2.00
Scott Wells, Sr.	100.00	2.00
Nahum W. French	200.00	4.00
Seth Stickney Lot	125.00	2.50
Solon Evans Lot	125.00	2.50



H. B. & W. O. Fortier Lot	100.00	2.00
Anna Workman Lot	100.00	2.00
Ellis Nelson Lot	50.00	1.00
Dora Thayer Lot	100.00	2.00
Ned H. Noyes Lot	100.00	2.00
Elizabeth M. Smith Fund	100.00	2.00
C. S. Nutting Fund	100.00	2.00
Will H. Ingalls Fund	200.00	4.00
Scott W. Keyser Lot	200.00	4.00
Albert Trudeau Lot	100.00	2.00
Leon Ranno	150.00	3.00
Edward S. Carr	200.00	4.00
Hunt Lot	66.85	1.21

*Brushwood Road Cemetery—*

Louise Shaw for Abbott Shaw Lot	100.00	2.00
<i>Woodsville Cemetery—</i>		
Mrs. H. E. Moore for Moore Lot	200.00	4.00
Mary E. Mann for Mann Lot	200.00	4.00
Wm. Lord for Lord Lot	100.00	2.00
Louise A. Lord for Lord Lot	100.00	2.00
Nettie D. Wilson for Wilson Lot	300.00	6.00
J. L. & M. M. Daniels for Daniels Lot	200.00	4.00
Geo. B. Jenkins	100.00	2.00
S. R. Hancock Lot (Montgomery Fund)	300.00	6.00
Henrietta Hill Lot	100.00	2.00
Obid W. Gordon Lot	200.00	4.00
Charles L. Cummings Lot	150.00	3.00
Frances Hill Lot	200.00	4.00
T. L. C. Blake Lot	100.00	2.00
McMeekin Lot	200.00	4.00
George Chamberlin Lot (I. O. O. F. Trustees)	100.00	2.00
Minnie S. Nutter Lot	100.00	2.00
John A. Thornton Lot	100.00	2.00
Wm. McKenzie Lot	93.54	1.86
Harry Jones Lot	200.00	4.00
Alex Muir Lot	50.00	1.00
Ellias Bailey Lot	200.00	4.00
Fred S. Wright Lot	200.00	4.00
Mary W. Curtis Fund	124.55	2.48
W. S. Keyser Lot	150.00	3.00
Ernest E. Craig Lot	200.00	4.00
Austin & Forrest Currier Lot	200.00	4.00
Ernest A. Sargent Lot	200.00	4.00
James & Nina Gordon Lot	200.00	4.00
Perry T. Hastings Lot	200.00	4.00
Samuel & E. P. Chamberlin	250.00	5.00
Belle W. Fullam	800.00	11.00

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\$50,766.52    \$ 1,625.59

All the above funds are deposited in the Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank, Amoskeag Savings Bank, New Hampshire Savings Bank, Littleton Savings Bank and Wells River Savings Bank, with the exception of bonds which are stored in a safe deposit box at the Woodsville National Bank. One book deposited with Merrimack River Savings Bank is in liquidation.

Respectfully submitted,

EMILE BLANK

HERMAN S. MITCHELL,

H. E. SMITH,

Trustees.

# HAVERHILL LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

## Treasurer's Report for the Fiscal Year Ending

Sept. 30, 1947

### Current Receipts

Trustees' Check from the following sources:

Interest on Johnston Fund	\$	10.05	
Interest on General Fund		67.51	
Interest on Locke Fund		20.10	
Interest on New England			
Power Bond		50.00	
Brown and Company Dividend		60.00	
			\$ 207.66

Receipts from other sources:

Town of Haverhill			
Appropriation	\$	350.00	
Haverhill School District		100.00	
Interest on Savings Accounts		82.22	
Sales of desks		15.00	
Sale of books		31.44	
Fines		17.40	
Adjustment of Doubleday Co.			
Account		0.30	
			602.47

Total Current Receipts	\$	810.13	\$	810.13
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Cash on hand Oct. 1, 1946		100.81		100.81
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Total Working Cash			\$	910.94
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### Current Expenditures

New Books	\$	352.35
Magazines		11.25
Salaries and Janitor Service		272.20
Fuel		78.24
Lights		12.00

Supplies	11.00
To W. E. Jock for oil burners	70.00
To Mary Morris, cleaning library	16.75
To Librarian, Xmas bonus	50.00
To Harold Joslin, piling wood	2.50
To bank service charge	1.00
New Hampshire Library Ass'n. dues	5.00

Total Expenditures	\$ 882.39
Cash on hand Woodsville	
National Bank Checking Acc't	28.55
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	\$ 910.94

Respectfully submitted,

FRIEND H. JENKINS,

Treasurer

## REPORT OF TOWN LIBRARY TRUSTEES

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Received from the Town of Haverhill on March 1st, June 1st, Sept. 1st and Dec. 1st, 1947, quarterly checks payable to the Town Library association and delivered them as follows:

To Treas. Pike Library 4 at \$75.00	\$300.00
To Treas. Haverhill Library 4 at \$87.50	350.00
To Treas. North Haverhill Library 4 at \$87.50	350.00
To Treas. Woodsville Free Public Library 4 at \$125.00	500.00
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	\$ 1,500.00

R. H. LARGE, Trustee.

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## AUDITOR'S REPORT

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We, the undersigned, lawfully appointed auditors of the Town of Haverhill, certify that we have carefully examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Tax Collector, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Trustees of Trust Funds and the Cemetery Commissions, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

We also certify that in the presence of two Selectmen and the Town Treasurer we destroyed by burning Refunding Bonds No. 11 and 12 of \$1,000.00, each and Bridge Bonds No. 49, 50 and 51 of \$1,000.00 each, and all matured Coupons.

EMILE BLANK,

DOUGLAS R. NEWBOLD,

January 21, 1948

Auditors

# WOODSVILLE FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

## Report of the Treasurer 1946-1947

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### Receipts

Balance July 1, 1946	\$ .29
Haverhill Town Appropriation	625.00
Woodsville School District	1,000.00
School District Special Appropriation	500.00
Fines	94.00
Refund	7.20
Sale of books	9.00
Total	2,235.49

### Expenditures

Books	\$ 734.74
Magazines	32.95
Supplies and Incidentals	48.03
Fuel	271.20
Librarian and Assistance	365.15
Janitor	135.00
Insurance	29.44
Repairs and Labor	300.15

Total	\$ 1,916.66
Balance June 30, 1947	318.83
	\$ 2,235.49

C. MURRAY SAWYER,  
Treasurer

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### AUDITOR'S REPORT

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I have audited the foregoing account and find it correct and properly vouched

HERMAN S. MITCHELL,  
August 22, 1947 Auditor



# PIKE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, PIKE, N. H.

## Treasurer's Report for the Year Ending March 1, 1948

### Receipts

March 4, 1947, Cash on hand	\$150.53
Town of Haverhill	300.00
Interest on U. S. Bond	25.00
Transfer from Savings Bank a/c	100.00
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	\$ 575.53

### Disbursements

Books and magazines	\$ 147.97
Rent of Library Room	112.50
Fire Insurance Premium	7.19
Librarian's Salary	62.25
Bank's Maintenance Charge	2.00
Transfer to Savings Bank a/c	75.00
Postage	.63
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	\$ 407.54
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Leaving Balance on hand	\$ 167.99

Respectfully submitted,

EMILE BLANK, Treasurer

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE  
NORTH HAVERHILL LIBRARY, 1947**

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**Receipts**

Cash on hand January 1, 1947	\$ 51.00
Town	350.00
Fines	19.00
	<hr/> \$ 420.00

**Disbursements**

Books and Magazines	\$ 138.57
Electricity	12.00
Insurance	18.85
Librarian	100.00
Janitor	65.00
Wood	54.00
Repairs on Furnace	8.50
Tax on Checks	3.00
Miscellaneous	2.82
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1947	17.11
	<hr/> \$ 420.00

MARY E. FARNHAM,  
Treasurer

## COMMUNITY BUILDING REPORT

Year Ending December 31, 1947

### Cash Received

Balance on hand December 31, 1946	\$ 1,477.81
Rent of building	545.00
Received from Water & Light Commission	2,500.00
Received from School District—	
Janitor's Salary	1,170.00
Received from toll calls on telephone	1.13
Total cash received	<u>\$ 5,693.94</u>

### Cash Paid Out

Ralph Daniels, Salary, High School and Comm. Bldg.	\$ 2,460.48
Collector of Internal Revenue, WH Tax	77.50
H. S. Mitchell, Precinct Comm., retirement fund	227.24
Fuel, James M. Sweeney	521.76
Fuel, Gulf Oil Corp.	44.56
Insurance	311.20
Supplies, labor on furnace, plumbing & material	317.14
Twin State Pub. Co., printing	4.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	62.92
Ralph Daniels, laundry, freight, miscellaneous supplies	9.67
Woodsville National Bank, check main. chg.	3.10
Huntington Lab. Inc., floor machine & supplies	221.34
Extra labor at building	33.00

Total cash paid out \$ 4,493.84

Balance in Woodsville National Bank \$ 1,200.10

C. C. ASHLEY,

Sec. & Treasurer

### Committee:

Paul Scruggs, Chairman

E. G. Hobbs

J. H. Walker

Mrs. E. B. Mann

Paul Scruggs, Outgoing member

**WARRANT FOR ANNUAL MEETING  
OF NORTH HAVERHILL WATER AND  
LIGHTING PRECINCT**

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To the Inhabitants of North Haverhill Water and Lighting District in the Town of Haverhill, qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall in said District Thursday, March 11, 1948 at seven-thirty o'clock in the afternoon, to act on the following matters:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To hear the reports of officers heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Art. 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To choose a District Commissioner for the term of three years.

Art. 7. To see if the District will vote to elect a budget committee to work with the District Commissioners to prepare a budget and recommend to the next annual meeting the amounts to be raised by taxation for various purposes, such recommendations to be printed in the next annual report.

Art. 8. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be deemed necessary to meet the expenses of the District for the ensuing year.

Art. 9 To see if the District will authorize the Commissioners to borrow on the credit of the District, such sums of money as may be needed under the provisions of Article 7 of this Warrant.

Art. 10. To see what action the District will take in regard to increasing the water supply and to raise and appropriate the sum required for this purpose.

Art. 11. To see if the District will vote to insure the Firemen of said District against accident while working for the District.

Art. 12. To transact any other business proper to come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 9th day of February in the year of our Lord One Thousand, Nine Hundred and Forty-Eight.

WESLEY A. WHITE,

LESLIE G. KIMBALL,

ROLAND C. AMES,

Commissioners

# FINANCIAL REPORT

## Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1947

### Assets

Cash on hand	\$ 58.90
(a) General Fund	838.20
From Others:	
Uncollected Water Rents	505.31
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Total Assets	\$ 1,402.41
Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net Debt)	18,097.59
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Grand Total	\$19,500.00
Note: Water bills do not get out until Jan. 1st	

### Liabilities

Notes Outstanding	\$ 1,500.00
	18,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$19,500.00
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Grand Total	\$19,500.00

### Schedule of Precinct Property

Lands and Buildings:	
Water System	\$62,393.92
Furniture and Apparatus:	
Fire fighting equipment	2,003.80
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Total Valuation	\$64,397.72

### Receipts

Current Revenue:	
From taxes for Bond Paym't	\$ 1,500.00
For District Expenses	500.00
For outlay on new springs	250.00
From other sources:	
Water rents	1,627.00



Interest on Fund	19.46
Electric Current	
Hydrant service	15.00

#### Receipts other than Current Revenue:

Withdrawn from Fund	150.00
Money loaned to pay off note on New Fire Truck	3,500.00
Payment by Fire Department on new truck	500.00
Cash on hand at beginning of year	281.33
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Grand Total	\$ 8,342.79

#### Payments

#### Current Maintenance Expenses:

Printing, Postage, Gas	\$ 38.65
Treas Bond, etc	
Materials on water	46.44
Fire Station telephone	36.01
Insurance on Fire Truck	164.16
Workmen's Compensation	57.83
Firemen	226.70
Materials at Fire Station	16.00
New Equipment (Fire Dept.)	97.52
Street Lighting	510.00
Treas. Salary and Audit	79.00
Accrued Interest	19.46
Service Charge on Check Book	3.52
Woodsville Hardware	87.90
Vappi and Co.	317.25
Marlen Millette	252.40
George Richardson	20.00
R. C. Tuxbury	26.75
Richard Allbee	82.80
Woodsville Precinct	7.50
Total Current Maintenance Expenses	
Interest Paid:	\$ 585.00

#### Outlay, New Construction & Equip.:

(a) Use of bulldozer at new springs	\$ 59.00
(b) Water to Cady House	50.00

**Indebtedness**

Payment on Notes, paid on Fire Truck	\$ 4,000.00
Payment on Bonds	1,500.00
Cash on hand at end of year	58.90
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Grand Total	\$ 8,342.79

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**AUDITOR'S STATEMENT**

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I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the North Haverhill Water and Lighting District for the fiscal year 1947 and I have found them correct and balanced.

On February 9, 1948 in the presence of the Treasurer and one of the District Commissioners I have burned the following paid bonds and coupons, bond No. 14 for \$1,000.00 and bond No. 15 for \$500.00.

F. P. SLEEPER

**ANNUAL REPORT OF L. E. DAVISON, TREAS.**  
**WOODSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT, YEAR 1947**

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Balance from last year's account	\$ 2,389.62
Rec'd. from Town of Haverhill, 1947 taxes	16,763.90
" " Water & Light Dept. Bonds & Int.	14,565.00
" " Water & Light Dept., retirement fund	1,732.92
" " Community House Com. retirement fund	221.06
" " Lions Club, unexpended bal. Rink fund	114.25
" " A. H. Goldfield, use sewer equipment	4.00
" " A. N. Blandin, use sewer equipment	10.00
" " Johnson Lum. Co., account fire	164.45
" " Ryegate Paper Co., account fire	80.00
" " State of New Hamp. sale of gravel	85.80
" " Rent of Community Field	55.00
" " Sale of cold patch	63.00
" " Sale of second hand truck	592.50
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Total Receipts	\$36,841.50
Paid on Orders of Woodsville Fire District Commissioners 7001 and 7223 inclusive.	
Woodsville National Bank, Interest on 1937 issue	\$ 1,440.00
Woodsville National Bank, bonds of 1937 issue	2,000.00
National Shawmut Bank of Boston Through Woodsville Nat'l. Bank Bonds of 1929 issue	10,000.00
National Shawmut Bank of Boston through Woodsville Natl. Bank, Interest 1929 issue	1,125.00
State Treasurer, Custodian retirement fund	2,457.64
Collector of Internal Rev., Withholding tax	438.72
The Dearth Insurance Agency, Insurance	171.97

R. T. Bartlett Insurance Agency, Insurance	80.77
Independent Coal Tar Co., cold patch	836.00
Independent Coal Tar Co., oil	2,643.61
Independent Salt Co., salt	168.88
Caldbeck Cosgrove Co., various	266.58
E. W. Harris, dump	580.50
T. G. Rowden, repairs	211.25
William Brill, labor with trucks	583.45
Miscellaneous bills including salaries and Fire Department	10,674.55
Total disbursements	<u>\$33,678.92</u>
Balance to next year's Acct.	3,162.58
Grand total	<u>\$36,841.50</u>

#### **Bond Acct. for 1947**

Paid Natl. Shawmut Bank of Boston  
Bonds No. 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129,  
130 and all outstanding coupons due prior to Jan.  
1, 1948

Paid Woodsville Natl. Bank, Community House Bonds  
No. 11 and 12 and all outstanding coupons due on  
1937 issue.

Outstanding bonds of 1929 issue	\$20,000.00
Outstanding bonds of 1937 issue	46,000.00
Total outstanding bonds	<u>\$66,000.00</u>

L. E. DAVISON, Treas.

Jan. 1st, 1948

Woodsville Fire Dist.

## REPORT OF NORTH HAVERHILL FIRE CHIEF

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During the year 1947, we have answered 21 calls, 9 within and 12 outside the Precinct.

The new fire truck was put to a good test at the Leonard Clifford fire and again at the fire in Bradford. I believe most everyone is perfectly satisfied with our new truck.

Of the \$4,000.00 which the Precinct borrowed to repay the loans, we had from interested people around town, \$1,000.00 remains unpaid. The firemen have paid \$3,000.00 on the note and hope to clear up the \$1,000.00 during this year.

The department is in need of some new hose. We haven't bought any since 1944. If we could buy 400 or 500 feet this year, then 100 feet each year, it would do away with such a large bill at any one time. We are asking for \$1,000.00 this year.

The firemen feel that the Precinct should insure them against accident during a fire. We should like this matter brought to a vote at the Precinct meeting this year.

The Selectmen of Haverhill signed the "Mutual Aid Agreement," making it possible for us to call outside help without cost to us. The Precinct or town from which they are called pays them. If we are called elsewhere, by this agreement, the Town of Haverhill pays half and the North Haverhill Precinct pays half of our bill. By this agreement it makes it possible for us to go out to a call without first having to contact the Selectmen or Precinct Commissioners. There are ten departments signed up now with several more likely prospects in the future. Nearly everyone feels this "Mutual Aid Agreement" is a wonderful set up.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE E. SMITH,

Chief, North Haverhill Fire Department



## WOODSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT

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### Warrant for Annual Meeting for 1948

To the Inhabitants of the Woodsville Fire District, in the Town of Haverhill, County of Grafton and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in said district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Community House on High Street in said District, Thursday, March 11, 1948, at thirty minutes past seven o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following matters:

1. To choose a Moderator.
2. To choose a Clerk.
3. To choose a Treasurer.
4. To choose an Auditor.
5. To hear the reports of the officers heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose one District Commissioner for the term of three years.
7. To choose one Water and Light Commissioner for the term of three years.
8. To choose one member of the Community House Committee for the term of two years.
9. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the expenses of the district, including the Fire Department, for the coming year.
10. To see if the District will vote to authorize the Water & Light Commissioners to borrow on the credit of the District a sum of money to pay such part of the notes and bonds which cannot be paid from current receipts.



11. To see what action the District will take relative to the construction of a sewer to serve residents of High Street on Kings Plain, and to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to construct the new sewer, or to instruct the District Commissioners to issue short term notes to pay for this construction.

12. To see what action the District will take with reference to instructing the Water and Light Commissioners to turn over to the Community House Committee certain amount of money to meet the expenses thereof.

13. To transact any other business proper to come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 10th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight.

H. S. MITCHELL,

W. J. LARTY,

E. G. HOBBS,

District Commissioners

## REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS

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To the Citizens and Taxpayers of the Woodsville Fire District, we submit our report for the year ending December 31, 1947.

### Receipts

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1947	\$ 2,389.62	
Town of Haverhill	16,763.90	
Water and Lgt. Dept.,		
Bond account	14,565.00	
Retirement Fund	1,953.98	
Lions Club, Unexpended		
Rink Fund	114.25	
Rent of Sewer Equipment	14.00	
Town of Haverhill, Acct. Fire	164.45	
Town of Ryegate, Acct. Fire	80.00	
Sale of Gravel	85.80	
Community Field	55.00	
Cold Patch	63.00	
Second Hand Truck	592.50	
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	\$36,841.50	\$36,841.50

### Disbursements

Labor an Highways	\$ 4,420.53
Labor on Sidewalks	159.72
Labor on Sewers	227.24
Bonds & Interest	14,565.00
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	\$19,372.49

### Fire Department

Town of Lisbon, Acct. Fire	\$ 104.00
Town of So. Ryegate,	
Acct. Fire	50.00
Payroll	888.08
New Furnace	425.00
New Doors	426.25
Miscellaneous Supplies	264.10
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	\$ 2,157.43

### Miscellaneous

Snow and Ice	\$ 608.70	
State Trea. Ret. Fund	2,457.64	
Insurance	252.74	
Oil	80.98	
Coal	22.65	
Collector of Int. Revenue	438.72	
Salaries	250.00	
Auditing	20.00	
Salt	168.88	
Miscellaneous supplies & expenses	579.46	
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	\$ 4,879.77	
Truck Maintenance	\$ 1,145.45	
Repairs to Snow Plow	178.93	
Community Field	30.40	
Dump	580.50	
Repairs to Fences	52.50	
Cold Patch	836.00	
Repairs to Mixer	30.65	
New Gas Engine	105.00	
Signs	59.75	
Oiling Streets	4,250.41	
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	\$ 6,123.78	
		\$33,678.92
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1947		\$ 3,162.58
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		\$36,841.50

H. S. MITCHELL,

W. J. LARTY,

E. G. HOBBS,

District Commissioners.

### Financial Statement

Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1947	\$ 3,162.58	
Central Fire Station	4,300.00	
Standard Oil Property	2,000.00	
New Sand Pit	500.00	
Old Sand Pit	100.00	
Community Field	3,000.00	
Property of Highway Dept.	5,278.21	
Property of Fire Dept.	8,838.15	
New Water System	210,000.00	
Electric System	281,000.00	
Community Bldg.	60,000.00	
Property purchased from B. & M. R. R.	200.00	
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		\$578,378.94

### Liabilities

#### Outstanding Bonds

Issue of 1929, Water bonds	\$20,000.00	
Issue of 1937, Community House	46,000.00	
Woodsville Guar. Sav. Bank Notes		
Issue of 1946	\$60,000.00	
Issue of 1947	15,000.00	
Issue of 1947	10,000.00	
		85,000.00
Balance due H. P. Cummings Const. Co. on plant		2,704.29
Balance due Gen. Elec. Co. on generator (in full) on plant		4,598.00
Outstanding bills, paid after closing books		2,044.72
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		\$160,347.01
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		\$418,031.93

H. S. MITCHELL,

W. J. LARTY,

E. G. HOBBS,

Commissioners

# 1947 REPORT PRECINCT OF WOODSVILLE

## WATER AND LIGHT DEPARTMENT

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Balance on hand Woodsville Nat. Bank Jan. 1, 1947	\$25,630.85
Deposits made from water and electric collections	64,364.65
Deposits made from sale of old metal	150.00
Deposits made from Grafton County pipe line rental	68.38
Deposits made from transferred from Savings Bank to Nat. Bk.	10,598.46
Deposits made from Notes (Woodsville Savings Bank)	10,000.00
Deposits made from Notes (Woodsville Savings Bank)	15,000.00
Total receipts	<u>\$125,812.34</u>

### Disbursements Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1947

Salaries at Station, Wire and Water Lines, Superintendent, Commissioners, Bookkeeping and Collecting	\$16,850.97
Electric Plant and Line Supplies	9,411.44
Water Line Supplies	649.49
Electric Current Bought (Central Vt. Pub. Service Corp.)	16,844.53
Paid on Water Bond (\$10,000.00) and Interest (\$1,125.00)	11,125.00
Paid on Community House Bond (\$2,000.00) and Interest (\$1,440.00)	3,440.00
Paid on Community House Up-keep.	2,500.00
Paid on Transportation expenses (gas, oil, truck repairs)	817.47
Paid Telephone charges, Office supplies, equipment for new office at plant	625.26
Paid Fuel and Oil	328.77
Paid Freight, Express, Miscellaneous Ac- counts, including Water & Light portion to State retirement fund	1,109.24



Paid Insurance on trucks, workmen's Compensation		562.92
Paid Grafton County for pipe line rental (this paid in by users)		68.38
Paid Plant Construction:		
H. P. Cummings Const. Co.	\$27,253.22	
S. Morgan Smith Co.		
(Governor) (in full)	17,000.00	
Cha. T. Main, Inc., Engineers,		
(in full)	1,949.62	
Judkins, special electrician		
(in full)	725.10	
General Electric Co.		
(Generator)	2,593.33	
Miscellaneous Charges	161.26	
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		\$49,682.53
Paid on Interest Savings Bank Notes		1,200.00
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Total Disbursements		\$115,216.00
Total Receipts for 1947	\$125,812.34	
Less total disbursements for 1947	115,216.00	
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Balance on hand Woodsville Nat. Bank		
December 31, 1947	\$10,596.34	\$10,596.34
Balance on hand Woodsville Savings Bank		
Jan. 1, 1947		10,493.53
April 1, 1947 Woodsville Savings Bank Interest		104.93
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		10,598.46
April 1, 1947, transferred from Sav. Bk. to Nat. Bk.		10,598.46
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Balance on hand Woodsville Sav. Bank,		
Dec. 31, 1947		None

The total amount of bills receivable for 1947 is \$453.78, of which \$360.40 has been paid since Jan. 1st. leaving bills receivable to amount of \$93.38.



Summary of Electric Current and Water furnished  
"Gratis" to Village of Woodsville during the year 1947

Street Lights (estimated and low)	\$ 3,500.00
Water Hydrants (40 @ \$20.00 each)	800.00
Community House, electricity and power	267.76
Community House, water	60.00
Library Electricity \$55.88 and Water \$16.00	71.88
Village Clock, electricity	49.61
Fire Station, electricity	65.69
Town of Haverhill Honor Roll, Court Street	44.30
Wells River-Woodsville bridge 1/2 electricity	75.00
Community House, upkeep	2,500.00
Christmas tree lighting	None
Skating Rink and Community Field, water and lights	59.72
Total	<hr/> \$7,493.96

E. A. Sargent is the out-going member of the Commission.

ERNEST A. SARGENT,  
CHARLES C. ASHLEY,  
HERMAN R. WILMOT,  
Commissioners

Precinct of Woodsville, Water & Light Department  
December 31, 1947

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**Liabilities**

Water Bond issue of 1929—Payable to Woodsville Fire District Feb. 1, 1948 \$10,000. and Feb. 1, 1949 \$10,000. Bal due \$20,000.00

plus interest @  $4\frac{1}{2}\%$ . (These payments will close this Bond issue of \$150,000. contracted in 1929)

Community House Bond issue of 1937, Payable to Woodsville Fire District, plus interest @ 3%. Balance due 46,000.00

(The last payment of this Bond issue will be made July 1, 1957)

Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank Notes

1946 Issue \$60,000.00

1947 issue 15,000.00

1947 issue 10,000.00

85,000.00

(These are payable \$8,000.00 each year, or more, on August 1st with interest @ 2%)

Balance due H. P. Cummings Construction Co. on Plant re-construction project 2,704.29

Balance due General Electric Co. on Generator (in full) 4,598.00

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\$158,302.29

**Estimated Value of Water & Light Assets:**

New water system, dam, reservoir, main pipe to Court and Central Streets \$160,000.00  
Street Mains, Connections and Hydrants 50,000.00  
Electric Plant Buildings, Dam and Penstock 150,000.00  
Generator and Wheel 45,000.00

Switch Board, Instruments and Regulators	11,000.00
Wire, Poles, Transformers and Meters on lines	65,000.00
Woodsville Community House	60,000.00
Plant Supplies: Transformers, meters, poles, wire, etc.	5,000.00
Tools and transportation equipment	5,000.00
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	\$551,000.00

There has never been any money raised by taxation for original purchase price or maintenance of the Plant and equipment since it was purchased from the Boston & Maine Railroad, in 1922.

GEORGE E. MANN,

Superintendent

ERNEST A. SARGENT,

Commissioner

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

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Feb. 2, 1948

I hereby certify that I have examined the books of the Commissioners of the Water and Light Department, of the Treasurer and of the Commissioners of the Woodsville Fire District, and also of the Treasurer of the Woodsville Community House, and find the same correctly totaled and properly balanced.

I further certify that on January 25, 1948, in the presence of the Treasurer and one of the Fire District Commissioners I have burned the following paid obligations of the Woodsville Fire District:

Water Bonds of 1929 issue numbers 121,122,123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, and 130 and all outstanding coupons to bonds of issue to date, I have also burned Community House bonds number 11 and 12 and all outstanding coupons to bonds of this issue to date. Each water bond and Community House Bond burned was of One Thousand Dollar (\$1,000) denomination.

HAROLD K. DAVISON,

Auditor

## PRECINCT OF HAVERHILL CORNER

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### Warrant for Annual Meeting

To the Inhabitants of the Precinct of Haverhill Corner, in said Haverhill:

You are hereby notified to meet in Masonic Dining Room in said Precinct, on Saturday, the 20th day of March, 1948, at 2:30 of the clock in the afternoon to act upon the following matter, viz:

1. To choose a Moderator.
2. To choose a Clerk.
3. To hear the report of the Treasurer and other agents.
4. To choose a Commissioner for three years.
5. To choose a Treasurer
6. To choose an Auditor and other agents.
7. To authorize the Commissioners to borrow money to provide for current expenses until the taxes are collected and give notes for the same.
8. To see what action the Precinct will take in regard to raising money for repair and construction of sidewalks within the Precinct.
9. To raise such sum of money as may be necessary for the ensuing year.
10. To see if the voters of the Precinct will vote to instruct the Precinct's Commissioners to take the necessary action to enlarge the powers of the district to include the construction and maintenance of sidewalks, including the passage of an enabling act amending Chapter 267, Laws of 1915, under which the precinct was established by Legislative Act.
11. To Authorize the Commissioners to shut off the water of any user whose account is over ninety days overdue, upon giving notice in writing to the owner of the property.

12. To transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal, this 6th day of February, 1948.

J. P. STEARNS,  
LEHMAN H. CELLEY,  
EDWARD NORCROSS,  
Precinct Commissioners



## **TREASURER'S REPORT**

**Precinct of Haverhill Corner**

**For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1947**

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### **Assets**

Cash on hand	\$ 514.37
Sinking Fund	2,083.44
Savings Account	110.50

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Total Assets	\$ 2,918.81
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Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net debt)	3,081.19
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Grand Total	\$ 6,000.00
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### **Liabilities**

Bonds Outstanding	\$ 6,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$ 6,000.00
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Grand Total	\$ 6,000.00
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### **Schedule of Precinct Property**

#### **Lands and Buildings:**

Land and Springs	\$ 2,800.00
Reservoir	3,210.45
Dam on Oliverian	100.00
Property of Old Aqueduct	64.00
Service Pipes	17,866.72
Hose Houses	349.79

#### **Furniture and Apparatus:**

Fire Equipment	\$ 1,012.26
Pipe, Fittings and Tools	2,000.00
Office Equipment	17.42

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Total Valuation	\$27,420.64
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## Receipts

### Current Revenue:

From Taxes	\$ 1,800.00
Water Rents	1,703.82
Drawn from Sinking Fund	300.00
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Total Received from all sources	\$ 3,803.82
Cash on hand at beginning of year	432.80
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Grand Total	\$ 4,236.62

## Payments

### Current Maintenance Expenses:

C. V. P. S. Corp	\$ 901.30
Auditors' Fee	10.00
Treasurer's Salary	75.00
Insurance	51.66
Legal Fees	10.00
Printing, Postage, etc.	23.18
Fire Alarm Service	57.50
No. Haverhill Fire Dept.	23.00
Band Concerts	180.00
Commissioners	243.46
Supplies and Materials	350.86
Labor	563.18
Bank Service Charge	3.06
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses:	\$ 2,492.20
Interest Paid:	140.00
Outlay, New Construction & Equip.:	
(a) Hose	90.05
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Total Outlay Payments	\$ 90.05
Indebtedness:	
Payment on Bonds	1,000.00
Total Indebtedness Payments	1,000.00
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$ 3,722.25
Cash on hand at end of year	514.37
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Grand Total	\$ 4,236.62

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

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I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Precinct of Haverhill Corner and find them correct and properly balanced. I further certify that on Feb. 5th, 1948, in the presence of the Treasurer and 3 of the Precinct Commissioners, I have burned the following paid obligation of the Precinct: Refunding Bond No. 8 of \$1,000.00.

JAMES W. O'CONNOR.



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**ANNUAL REPORT**

**of the**

**WOODSVILLE**

**UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**for**  
**FISCAL YEAR**

**July 1, 1946 - June 30, 1947**

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**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE  
OFFICERS OF WOODSVILLE UNION  
HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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**SCHOOL BOARD**

C. Murray Sawyer, Chairman  
Edwin Chamberlain  
Marion Mann

**Treasurer**

Lewis E. Davison

**Truant Officer**

William J. Fillian

**Auditor**

Horace B. Knight

**Health Officer**

John L. Farnham

**Moderator**

Luigi Castello

**Clerk**

Mrs. Mary Ashley

**Superintendent of Schools**

Phil A. Bennett

**Teachers**

**High School**

Anatole G. Pendo, Hdm., Math.  
Frank Woodward, Sub-Master, Math., Physics  
Timothy Connor, English-French  
Lois Litz, Science  
Lois Perry, Commerce  
Mrs. Frances Johnson, Soc. Sci.  
Archie Covell, Domestic Arts  
Emma Eldridge, Music

**Elementary**

Florence C. Callahan, Prin., Grade 8  
Natalie Clough, Grade 7  
Helen A. Franklin, Grade 6  
Giovannina Castello, Grade 5  
Beatrice Arnault, Grade 4  
Alice Rosa, Grade 3  
Barbara Schuyler, Grade 2  
Florence Lang, Grade 1  
Dorothea Lamb, Kindergarten

**Janitors**

Ralph Daniels

Charles George

**School Nurse**

Lottie M. B. Underhill



## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the Inhabitants of the Union High School District of Woodsville, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Community Building in said district on the 12th day of March, 1948, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alterations in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the School board in its annual report.
9. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the support of the Woodsville Free Public Library.
10. To see if the district will authorize the school board and two other legal voters of the district, appointed by the moderator, to act as a special committee to consider the feasibility of forming a cooperative secondary school district and to report to the district

not later than May 1, its findings including building requirements, program of studies, capital investment, operational costs of such a district and such other matters as may be deemed material.

11. If the preceding article is adopted, to see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of not exceeding \$300 to cover the cost of preparation of the report and traveling expenses of the special committee.

Given under our hands at said Woodsville this 2nd day of January, 1948.

EDWIN P. CHAMBERLIN,

MARION MANN,

School Board, Woodsville

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EDWIN P. CHAMBERLIN,

MARION MANN,

School Board, Woodsville

# WOODSVILLE UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

## BUDGET FOR 1948-49

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1948.

### Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools	High	Elementary	Total
Teachers' Salaries	\$20,000.00	\$17,000.00	\$37,000.00
Text Books	800.00	600.00	1,400.00
Scholars' Supplies	800.00	600.00	1,400.00
Flags and Appurtenances	10.00	5.00	15.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	350.00	200.00	550.00
Janitor Service	1,600.00	2,000.00	3,600.00
Fuel	800.00	1,000.00	1,800.00
Water, Lights, Janitor's Supplies	300.00	400.00	700.00
Minor Repairs and Expenses	800.00	800.00	1,600.00
Medical Inspection	175.00	600.00	775.00
Transportation of Pupils		200.00	200.00
Other Special Activities	400.00	500.00	900.00
	<u>\$26,035.00</u>	<u>\$23,905.00</u>	<u>\$49,940.00</u>

### Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of District Officers	\$ 280.00
(Fixed by District)	
Truant Officer and School Census	45.00
(Fixed by District)	
Superintendent's Excess Salary	800.00
(Fixed by Supervisory Union)	

Per Capita Tax (report of State Treasurer)	625.00	
Payment of District Debt	1,000.00	
Interest on District Debt	225.00	
Other obligations imposed by law or established by district	3,000.00	
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		\$ 5,975.00

Total Amount Required to meet School Board Budget		<hr/>
		\$55,915.00

#### Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1948	\$ 1,200.00	
State Aid (December 1948 Allotment)	10,000.00	
Dog Tax	225.00	
Income from Trust Funds	45.00	
High School Tuition Receipts	7,000.00	
Elementary School Tuition Receipts	2,000.00	
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		\$20,470.00

Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		<hr/>
		\$35,445.00
Special Appropriation Proposed: Woodsville Free Public Library	1,000.00	
		1,000.00
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		\$36,445.00

## FINANCIAL REPORT

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Financial report of the Woodsville School District  
for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1946, and ending  
June 30, 1947.

### Receipts

#### Federal Aid:

Total	\$	18.00
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#### State Aid:

Equalization and General Aid	\$	103.41
Total		103.41

#### Income from Local Taxation:

For support of Schools	40,169.00	
Total		40,169.00

#### From Sources Other Than Taxation:

Dog Licenses	223.84
Elementary school tuitions	1,398.75
High School tuitions	6,020.15
Income from local trust funds	47.23
Sale of property	27.50
Other receipt	2.02

Total	7,719.49
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Total receipts from all sources	48,009.90
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Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1946	206.11
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Grand Total	\$48,216.01
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## Payments

	Total Amount	General Expenses	Support of High School	Support of Elem. School
<i>Administration</i>				
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 255.00	\$ 255.00		
Supt. Excess Salary	520.00	520.00		
Tax for state wide supervision	582.00	582.00		
Truant Officer and School Census	45.00	45.00		
Expenses of Administration	372.99	372.99		
<i>Instruction</i>				
Principals' and Teachers' Salaries	29,228.28		\$16,384.00	\$12,844.28
Text Books	964.46		458.88	505.58
Scholars' Supplies	1,223.22		734.06	489.16
Other Expenses of Instruction	156.02		130.87	25.15
<i>Operation and Maintenance of School Plant</i>				
Janitor Service	2,702.18		1,040.00	1,662.18
Fuel	1,377.34		505.44	871.90
Water, Light, Janitor's Supplies	562.70		265.10	297.60
Minor Repairs and Expenses	3,174.57		1,860.30	1,314.27
Yard grade bldg.	446.06			446.06
<i>Auxiliary Activities</i>				
<i>Health Supervision</i>				
Salaries	666.31		86.25	580.06
Transportation				
School operated service	90.00			90.00
Other activities	627.35		436.85	190.50
<i>Fixed Charges</i>				
Insurance	941.79	941.79		
State Retirement and other	567.04	567.04		
<i>Outlay for Construction and Equipment</i>				
New Equipment	287.03	287.03		



*Debts, Interest and*

*Other Charges*

Payments of Principal of Debt	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Payments of interest on Debt	282.66	282.66		
Payments Library	1,500.00	1,500.00		
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Total Payments for all purposes	\$47,572.00	\$ 6,353.51	\$21,901.75	\$19,316.74
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1947)	644.01			
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Grand Total	\$48,216.01			

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**BALANCE SHEET**

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**Assets**

**Cash on Hand:**

Balance June 30, 1947	\$	644.01	
Accounts due to district			
From Town		12.00	
From others		8.00	
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Total Assets	\$	664.01	
Net Debt (Excess of Liability Over Assets)		4,902.47	
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Grand Total			\$ 5,566.48

**Liabilities**

Notes Outstanding	\$	5,566.48	
Capital reserves (Offsets similar asset account)		5,566.48	
Grand Total			\$ 5,566.48

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Woodsville of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HORACE B. KNIGHT,

July 11, 1947

Auditor

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF WOODSVILLE UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Year 1946 and 1947 — L. E. Davison, Treasurer

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Received from last year's balance	\$ 206.11
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds, Southard Fund	47.23
Received from A. G. Pendo, telephone tolls	2.02
Received from Federal Government, refund	18.00
Received from Treasurer State of N. H., lunch program	103.41
Received from Wesley H. Douglass, sale of material	27.50
Received from Town of Bath, 1946 dog tax	13.07
Received from Town of Haverhill, 1946 dog tax	210.77
Received from Town of Haverhill,, 1946 taxes	40,169.00
Received from Tuitions, year 1946-1947	7,418.90
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Total Receipts including last year balance	\$48,216.01

## Paid on orders of School Board

Nos. 101 to 763 inclusive:

C. Murray Sawyer, Treas., Woodsville Public Library	\$ 1,500.00
C. C. Ashley, Treasurer, use of Com. Building	200.00
C. C. Ashley, Treasurer, High School Janitor	1,040.00
Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank, Note due Jan. 1, 1947	1,000.00
Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank, interest on notes	282.66
F. Gordon Kimball, State Treas. Per Cap. Tax	582.00
M. A. Hall, Treas. Supv. Union, No. 23	1,350.11
Teachers Retirement Board, Teachers retirement	1,107.84
Woodsville National Bank, Collector of Int. Revenue	2,969.06

Salaries, Insurance and Misc. Bills	37,540.33
Total disbursements	\$47,572.00
Balance to next year's Account	644.01
Total	\$48,216.01

### BOND AND NOTE ACCOUNT

There is still outstanding in the old Bond Account Coupons No. 11 and 12 to Bond No. 18 amounting to \$22.50, and Coupon No. 15 to Bond No. 30 for \$2.25, and there is on deposit in the Woodsville National Bank \$24.75, to pay same when presented.

In the Grade School Heating Plant account there are five one Thousand dollar notes and one of \$566.48 at the Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank is outstanding. One note of one thousand dollars was paid January 1, 1947 and interest on all notes to July 1, 1947 amounting to \$282.66.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS E. DAVISON,

Treasurer

### AUDITOR'S REPORT

I certify that I have examined the books and accounts of the School Board and Treasurer of the Woodsville Union High School District for the year ending June 30, 1947 and find them correct and properly vouched for with a balance on hand \$644.01.

There are outstanding coupons amounting to \$24.75 and a balance in Woodsville National Bank of \$24.75 to pay same when presented for payment.

I also certify that note of \$1,000.00 due January 1, 1947 was paid and destroyed.

H. B. KNIGHT,

Auditor.

## REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

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To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my fourth annual report of Woodsville High School for the year ending January 31, 1948.

### Enrollment

The enrollment for the year 1946-47, to date includes 139 pupils.

Distributed according to classes they are:

Seniors	22
Juniors	31
Sophomores	46
Freshmen	38

Post-Graduates — 2

### Graduates

Diplomas were awarded to the following graduates in June, 1947:

Virginia Beaton	William Mitchell
Harold Byrne	Della Nelson
Stella Chiaradia	Arthur Noyes
Roger Darby	Roger Pierson
Wyman Darby	Muriel Robinson
Norman Farnsworth	Victor Roy
Robert Gowitzke	Ardeth Stimson
Richard Gutterson	Merlene Taylor
Wayne Heywood	Rita Tyler
Arlene Mason	Pauline Weden

### Scholarships

The following scholarships were awarded:

- First Place: Virginia Beaton
- Second Place: Della Nelson
- Third Place: Norman Farnsworth
- Fourth Place: William Mitchell



The Alumni Attainment Award was given to William Mitchell; the Music Awards were given to Arthur Noyes and Harold Byrne; the Science Award to Norman Farnsworth; the History Award to Virginia Beaton; the Alumni Scholarship to William Mitchell.

In September, 1946, a change in the administrative department was made. The former submaster, Mr. Norman Paquette, accepted a position at Claremont High School; his place was taken by Mr. Philip Tousignant. Mr. Connor is now filling the position for Mr. Tousignant as he has returned to Rhode Island to enter the business field. Mr. Frank Woodward is submaster this year in place of Mr. Paquette.

### **Curriculum**

Under the sports program, the following activities were undertaken: touch football, softball, physical education for the girls and boys, basketball and baseball. For the second consecutive year, the Woodsville High School boys basketball team became champions of the Ammonoosuc League. The girls, under Coach Litz, had a very successful season.

Woodsville High School put on a play during the month of November entitled "Almost Eighteen." It was ably coached by Mr. Woodward, and played to a capacity house.

Under the direction of Miss Perry and her commercial classes, the Cycle was published quarterly, much to the interest and delight of the student body.

A. G. PENDO,

Headmaster.



## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of the Woodsville  
Union High School District:

I herewith submit my first annual report as Superintendent of Schools:

1946-1947

Different pupils registered in district during year 368  
Average membership (to nearest whole No.)

Kindergarten	19
Elementary	186
High School	127
Percent of Attendance	92.63
Pupils not absent or tardy during the year	30
Cases of tardiness	917

Non-resident pupils:

Elementary	37
High School	38
School Board Meetings	7
Visits by Superintendent	315
Visits by Board Members	26
Visits by Citizens	521

Roll of honor for perfect attendance for full year:

Jacqueline Cote	Oliver Lamarre
William G. Bolos	Ann Nihan
Marilyn Darby	Greta Pierson
Shirley J. Page	Beverly Bedor
Patricia Cromwell	Ira Clark
Richard Jones	John MacDonald
Hoyt Darby	Paul Magoon
James Batjiaka	Stanley Monfette
Floyd Chase	Dorothy Strobridge
Claire Cooper	Joyce Tyler
Barbara Derosia	Eudora Wetherbee
Roger Eastman	Joyce Lackie

Claude Gadwah  
Leslie Lackie  
Albert Lamarre

Betty Pierson  
Frederica Wright  
Wyman Darby

Promoted June, 1947, from 8th Grade to High School:

Beverly Ashley  
Jacquelyn Beaton  
Helen Clement  
Jean Gallagher  
Rita Greenwood  
Jeannette Grenier  
Adele Guay  
Regina Guilmette  
Irene Johnson  
Priscilla Millette  
June Tegu

Luvia Thornton  
Barbara Landry  
Diane Eastman  
Joan Kelly  
Donald Brill  
Hoyt Darby  
Gerald Jordan  
Norman Pierson  
Patrick Roy  
Alexander Welch

### Summaries of Movement of Pupils Through Grades:

Grades	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Enrollment	24	28	30	25	32	24	24	20	24	38	46	31	22	368

### Teaching Staff

The High School faculty returned in September with only one new member on its staff, caused by the resignation during the summer of Mr. Paquette. Mr. Edgar Tousignant was obtained to fill the vacancy. On December 8th, however, he resigned and Mr. Timothy H. Connor of Worcester, Massachusetts was employed to teach English and French in his stead. Mr. Connor holds an A.B. degree from Holy Cross and a M.Ed. degree from Fitchburg State Teachers College. He has had several years teaching experience in Vt. and N. H. schools, and is proving an asset to the already excellent staff. Mr. Frank Woodward has been deservedly promoted to the position of Sub-master.

The Grade School has four new teachers, including the Kindergarten. Miss Natalie Clough of Lisbon, a graduate of Keene Teachers College with a B.Ed. degree replaced Miss Pierce in Grade 7; Mrs. Beatrice Arnault of Ea. Rochester, holding a B.Ed. degree from Plymouth Teachers College, was secured to teach

Grade 4, previously taught by Mrs. Pike. At the Xmas vacation however, Mrs. Arnault resigned and Mrs. Kathleen Butson was employed for the grade. Mrs. Butson is also a graduate of Plymouth Teachers College, as is Mrs. Dorothy Schuyler of Lisbon who replaced Miss Purmort in Grade 2. Mrs. Dorothea Lamb of Wells River, Vermont, a retired kindergarten teacher with years of experience in Somerville, Massachusetts, and a graduate of Wheelock College, joined the army of volunteer teachers in this critical period, and accepted the position vacated by Mrs. Weed, as Kindergarten teacher.

### **Buildings and Grounds**

Several rooms at the High School have been improved by the installation of fluorescent lights. The Mechanical Drawing room and Domestic Science room would be much better if remodeled and redecorated. The Mechanical Drawing room could be most useful if redesigned as a Trophy Room in which could be displayed the pictures of former teams and classes; always an attractive feature to all students and alumni. Improvements have been made in the chemistry laboratory. A new electric stove and a new electric refrigerator have been installed in the Domestic Science room by a plan whereby each unit is replaced each summer for five years, thereby assuring the D. A. classes the most modern equipment at no additional cost to the school.

The Grade School building has been greatly improved by the laying of an asphalt tile floor in the lower hall. Two additional rooms have been equipped with fluorescent lights, and shades installed in two other rooms. The playground has been resurfaced and a basketball standard erected. More equipment is needed on the playground for the primary pupils. A very great addition to the usefulness of the building would be the development of better lunch facilities for the noon lunch. A well equipped Mechanic Arts shop would enrich the high school curriculum in applied practical arts. The addition of power driven machin-

ery, such as an electric jig saw, a sander, and a grinder would be of advantage to the shop pupils in the Grade School.

It is a pleasure for any Superintendent of Schools to feel the spirit of cooperation that is prevalent in your schools. The teaching staff is loyal and industrious. Headmaster Pendo and Principal Callahan are to be commended for their competent administration in their respective buildings. Their tasks would be futile however, were it not for the efficiency of the staff with which each works. Fortunate indeed will be the District if we are privileged to list the same personnel for the coming school year.

The splendid interest shown in your schools by the School Board is surpassed only by the loyal support of the citizenry. Your School Board is, in fact, the Board of Directors of the greatest industry in New Hampshire, the Public Schools, and the members of the Board merit well your confidence. To the School Board, to the Faculties, pupils and citizens of the Woodsville Union High School District, I express grateful appreciation for your support, and both Mrs. Bennett and myself have been made most happy by the cordial welcome received at every hand in your fine community. It is our desire that we merit your trust and reciprocate your friendship.

Respectfully,

PHIL A. BENNETT,

Superintendent of Schools  
Woodsville, N. H., January 2, 1948



## NURSE'S REPORT

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Number of children examined 310

Defects		Corrections	
Teeth	77	Teeth	141
Tonsils	16	Tonsils	9
Defective Breathing	9	Adenoids	9
Vision	15	Vision	13
Hearing	2		

### Cases of Communicable Diseases:

Measles	47	Whooping Cough	31
Infantile paralysis	1	Skin Disease	9
Pediculosis	7		

School Visits 140      Home Visits 157

Respectfully submitted,

L. M. B. UNDERHILL,

School Nurse

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE  
OFFICERS OF HAVERHILL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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**SCHOOL BOARD**

Emil Blank, Chairman

Roe McDanolds

Herbert Swan

**Treasurer**

Daniel Carr

**Auditor**

M. H. Randall

**Truant Officer**

Edward G. Hobbs

**Health Officer**

John L. Farnham

**Clerk**

Robert Large

**Moderator**

Roy E. Dunkley

**Superintendent of Schools**

Phil A. Bennett

**TEACHERS**

**Haverhill Academy**

Friend H. Jenkins, Hdm., Soc. St. Math.

Ruth I. Jenkins, Languages

Adelaide B. Towne, Home Economics

Mildred Pennington, Commerce

James W. O'Connor, Soc. Science

Barbara Fullerton, French and Coaching

**Elementary**

**North Haverhill**

Mr. James Morrill, Prin.,  
Grades 7-8

Mrs. Theda Cote,  
Grades 4-6

Mrs. Thelma Henderson,  
Grades 1-3

**Pike**

Mr. Wilfred Gendron  
Grades 5-8

Mrs. Louise M. Wilson  
Grades 1-4

Center Haverhill  
Mrs. Emily Morrill  
Grades 1-8



Haverhill Corner

Mrs. Ellen Chase, Grades 7-8

Mary Ashley, Prin., Grades 4-6

Hazel M. Underhill, Grades 1-3

Music Supervisor

Mrs. Christie Goodwin

Transporters

George E. White

Mrs. William C. Smith

Lilith N. White

Walter P. Morris

Douglas White

Olin C. Brooks

Carl Spooner

Janitors

Harley L. Atkins, Academy and Elementary

Carl M. Meader, No. Haverhill

Emil Blank, Pike

Douglas Bigelow, C. Haverhill

School Nurse

Lottie M. B. Underhill

## SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT FOR HAVERHILL

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To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Haverhill qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 9th day of March, 1948, at 1:00 O'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects.

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or Officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subjects embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to expend the proceeds (\$1000.00) received from the sale of the East Haverhill School Building, for the support of schools.
10. To see if the district will authorize the school board and two other legal voters of the district, appointed by the moderator, to act as a special commit-

tee to consider the feasibility of forming a cooperative secondary school district and to report to the district not later than May 1 its findings including building requirements, program of studies, capital investment, operational costs of such a district and such other matters as may be deemed material.

11. If the preceding article is adopted, to see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of not exceeding \$300 to cover the cost of preparation of the report and traveling expenses of the special committee.

Given under our hands at said Haverhill this 8th day of January, 1948.

EMILE BLANK,

ROE McDANOLDS,

HERBERT SWAN,

School Board of Haverhill

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EMILE BLANK,

ROE McDANOLDS,

HERBERT SWAN,

School Board of Haverhill

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF HAVERHILL, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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We, the undersigned members of Haverhill School Board, beg to submit the following report:

Taking advantage of the State Aid Contribution of about \$14,000.00 enabled us, not only to give substantial increases in the salaries for the teachers, thus bringing the same somewhat up to standard, but also to increase our appropriations for Textbooks, Scholars' Supplies and New Equipment. Furthermore it enabled us to make extensive improvements at Haverhill Academy. At that building the Home Economics room was considerably enlarged, in accordance with a plan, drawn up by Mrs. Towne, teacher, and Headmaster F. H. Jenkins. A linoleum floor was laid, and the room was equipped with two gas-stoves, two sinks and an electric refrigerator, also a number of cupboards for holding provisions and kitchen utensils.

A new cement floor over the entire basement, including the boiler room and Boys' and Girls' toilets, was installed in such a manner that from now on any surface water, seeping into the basement during Spring thaws, will be carried off into the pit in the boiler room. A long solid table with strong benches was also provided for the boys for their lunch. The entire project was carried out by Mr. George Lavoie who was ably assisted in the planning by Headmaster F. H. Jenkins. The cost of the whole project was about \$2,000.00. Before School opening citizens were invited to inspect the work, accomplished, and the general consensus of opinion expressed was: "A fine job and a wonderful improvement!"

Minor repairs were made at the Grade School at Haverhill, North Haverhill, Center Haverhill and Pike, and, as in former years, the boilers at Haverhill Academy, Alumni Hall, North Haverhill and Pike Schools were cleaned by the Woodsville Hardware Company. One of the stokers at Haverhill Academy called for repair parts, entailing an expense of about \$260.00.

We desire to call the attention of the Tax-payers and Voters of the District to the annual reports by Superintendent Phil A. Bennett and Headmaster F. H. Jenkins.

As regards the budget, covering the fiscal year, beginning July 1, 1948: In view of the fact that our district will receive about the same amount of State Aid money as for the Current School year, we have made allowance for a further increase in the salaries for the teachers, including the sum of \$1,500.00 towards the salary for an Agricultural teacher—it being understood that the Federal Government would contribute the other \$1,500.00.

The total amount of the budget submitted for your consideration is \$43,462.00 which compares with \$43,197.00 for the current year.

The retiring member of the Board is Mr. Emile Blank of Pike.

Respectfully submitted,

EMILE BLANK,

ROE McDANOLDS,

HERBERT R. SWAN,

Haverhill, N. H., January 5, 1948.



# HAVERHILL SCHOOL DISTRICT

## BUDGET FOR 1948-49

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1948.

### Detailed Statement of Expenditures:

Support of Schools	High	Elementary	Total
Teachers' Salaries	\$16,880.00	\$19,000.00	\$35,880.00
Text Books	300.00	600.00	900.00
Scholars' Supplies	300.00	500.00	800.00
Flags & Appurtenances	5.00	20.00	25.00
Other Expenses of			
Instruction	250.00	100.00	350.00
Janitor Service	720.00	2,220.00	2,940.00
Fuel	1,200.00	1,600.00	2,800.00
Water, Light, Janitor's			
Supplies	350.00	350.00	700.00
Minor Repairs and			
Expenses	800.00	1,300.00	2,100.00
Medical Inspection	60.00	540.00	600.00
Transportation of			
Pupils	3,500.00	3,300.00	6,800.00
Payment of Elementary			
Tuitions		1,400.00	1,400.00
Totals	\$24,365.00	\$30,930.00	\$55,295.00

### Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of District Officers	\$ 400.00
(Fixed by District)	
Truant Officer and School Census	50.00
(Fixed by District)	
Payment of Tuition in	
High Schools and Academies	1,015.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary	800.00
(Fixed by Supervisory Union)	
Per Capita Tax (Report of	
State Treasurer)	672.00



Other Obligations imposed by law or established by district	3,200.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,137.00

Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget		\$61,432.00
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Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1947	\$ 1,200.00	
State Aid	14,000.00	
Dog Tax	200.00	
Income from Trust Funds	650.00	
High School Tuition Receipts	900.00	
Elementary School Tuition Receipts	770.00	
Other Estimated Income	250.00	
	<hr/>	\$17,970.00

Assessment required to Balance School Board's Budget		\$43,462.00
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EMILE BLANK, Chairman

ROE McDANOLDS,

HERBERT SWAN,

School Board

## FINANCIAL REPORT

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Financial report of the Haverhill School District  
for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1946, and ending  
June 30, 1947.

### Receipts:

#### State and Federal Aid:

Equalization fund for elementary school (from state)	\$ 2,787.89	
Total		\$ 2,787.89

Income from Local Taxation (raised by selectmen) for the payment of Principal of debt	\$39,783.00	
Total		\$39,783.00

#### From Sources Other Than Taxation:

Dog Licenses (from Selectmen)	\$ 210.78	
Elementary school tuitions	368.00	
Secondary school tiutions	495.16	
Income from local trust funds	653.27	
Sale of property	136.31	

#### Proceeds of notes or bonds:

money borrowed a/c 1947-48 Tax	500.00	
Other receipts	245.70	
Total		\$ 2,609.22

Total receipts from all sources	45,180.11	
Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1946	681.28	
Grand Total		\$45,861.39

## Payments

	Total Amount	General Expenses	Support of High School	Support of Elem. School
<i>Administration</i>				
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00		
Supt. Excess Salary	540.00	540.00		
Tax for state wide supervision	618.00	618.00		
Truant Officers and School Census	50.00	50.00		
Expenses of Administration	418.24	418.24		
<i>Instruction</i>				
Principals' and Teachers' Salaries	24,029.57		\$10,540.50	\$13,488.07
Text Books	637.54		225.15	412.39
Scholars' Supplies	705.37		199.06	506.31
Other Expenses of Instruction	315.96		278.53	37.43
<i>Operation and Maintenance of School</i>				
<i>Plant</i>				
Janitor Service	2,528.00		660.00	1,868.00
Fuel	1,993.17		908.16	1,085.01
Water, Light, Janitor's supplies	649.29		326.69	322.60
Minor Repairs and Expenses	1,410.25		477.76	932.49
<i>Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities</i>				
Health Supervision Salaries	548.15		45.75	502.40
Transportation Contact services	6,082.71		2,432.71	3,650.00
School Operated service	208.00		108.00	100.00
High School and Academy Tuition	1,367.51		1,367.51	
Elementary School Tuition	876.00			876.00
Other Special Activities	107.42		5.57	101.85

*Fixed Charges*

Insurance	628.88	628.88
State Retirement and and other	524.00	524.00

*Outlay for Construction  
and New Equipment*

New Equipment	901.27	901.27
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Total Payments for				
All Purposes	\$45,538.33	\$ 4,080.39	\$17,575.39	\$23,882.55

Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1947	323.06
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Grand Total	\$45,861.39
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## BALANCE SHEET

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### Assets

Cash on Hand	\$ 323.06	
Total Assets	323.06	
Net Debt (Excess of Liability over Assets)	176.94	
Grand Total		\$ 500.00

### Liabilities

Accounts owed by district a/c 1947-48 Tax	\$ 500.00	
Total Liabilities	500.00	
Grand Total		\$ 500.00

EMILE BLANK,  
ROE McDANOLDS,  
HERBERT SWAN,

School Board

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## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Haverhill of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MAURICE H. RANDALL,

July 11, 1947

Auditor

**NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE BOARD  
OF EDUCATION**

**Divisions of Statistics and Accounts**

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Annual report of District Treasurer of School District of Haverhill for fiscal Year ending June 30, 1947

**Summary**

Cash on hand, June 30, 1946 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 681.28
Received from Selectmen, appropriations for current year	\$40,283.00
Dog Tax	210.78
Income from trust funds	653.27
Received from State Treasurer (State Aid)	2,787.89
Received from all other sources	1,245.17
	<hr/> \$45,180.11
Total Amount Available for year	<hr/> 45,861.39
Less School Board orders paid	45,538.33
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1947 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	323.06

**DANIEL CARR,**  
District Treasurer



## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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(Required by the State Board of Education from all  
State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Haverhill, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and find them correct in all respects.

MAURICE H. RANDALL,

July 11, 1947

Auditor

## REPORT OF HEADMASTER TO SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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I submit herewith my twenty-fourth annual report of Haverhill Academy and High School.

The total enrollment to date for the current school year, 1947-48, is sixty-seven. The distribution by classes is as follows:

Seniors	12
Juniors	16
Sophomores	14
Freshmen	25

There are eight tuition pupils, all of whom come from the town of Piermont. Only two pupils have left school to date. This is an unusually low rate of discharge. It is unusually noteworthy inasmuch as no pupils from the two lower classes have left school. As a rule, about 80% of those who drop out of high school leave during the first two years.

Diplomas were awarded to the following graduates in June:

Gordon Arnold, Nancy Curtis, Audrey Dargie, Joan Eichhorn, James Frink, Herbert Hall, Harold Joslin, Robert Knapp, Richard McDanolds, Thelma Moody, Robert Palmer, Alice Sawyer, Eloise Stoddard, Ellen Swan, and Betty Thompson.

Scholarship honors were won by James Frink, Eloise Stoddard, Herbert Hall, and Robert Palmer in the order named. The Scholarship, Loyalty, and Achievement Medal was awarded to Herbert Hall. Nine of the fifteen graduates are continuing their studies in post-secondary institutions.

James Frink ranked among the first ten of the one hundred seventy-five seniors in the state who competed for the Pepsi-Cola college scholarship. Gordon Arnold was one of 134 from the New England states

and one of 8 from New Hampshire selected for the Naval Aviation College program. According to a bulletin issued by the First Naval District Headquarters, there were more than 50,000 applicants from every part of the U. S.

The usual extra-curricula activities have been maintained and an increasing number of pupils are participating.

The boys' basketball team finished the 1946-47 season in fourth place in the league and 14th in its class in the state.

The baseball team won second place in the league, losing but one game.

The girls' basketball team took second place in the 1946-47 league standing. For the current season, the boys' team is in second place to date.

Extensive repairs, remodeling, and additions have been made to basements in the Academy building, including a new cement floor with provision for taking care of the spring seepage water, removal of partitions increasing the boys' lunch and coat room and installation of other partitions that close off the toilet and furnace rooms. New sanitary lavatories have been installed in both the boys' and girls' basements and a 24-foot lunch table has been built in the boys' lunch room.

The Home Economics Laboratory has been enlarged and modernized. Two complete cooking units and a refrigerator have been installed. The room has been entirely redecorated and the floor covered with in-laid linoleum. Fluorescent lights have been installed in the Home Economics room and in one of the classrooms. Some electrical outlets have also been installed. More are needed, and each room should have fluorescent lighting.

The trustees appropriated funds for the purchase of a new set of encyclopedias and other supplementary books for the use of the pupils to be added to the list now in the library. The appropriation also provided

for the purchase of a recorder. Both the encyclopedia and recorder are now in use and the other books are in the process of selection.

The usual standardized tests in the subject matter have been given. These tests are given for the two-fold purpose of measuring the achievement of the pupils against national standards and for checking the effectiveness of the teaching.

In addition to the above tests, a battery aptitude test has been given to the junior and senior classes. This battery consists of five tests including (1) a mental maturity test, (2) reading test, (3) clerical aptitude test, (4) mechanical ability test, (5) space perception test.

The results of these tests have been received from the testing service and are to be used in the guidance program. While they are the property of the school and will be kept in its files, they are available for study and inspection, at the school, by pupils and parents concerned. The results of the tests will also be made available to post-secondary schools and prospective employees when it can be shown that the results are of mutual benefit to such and the pupils concerned.

There has been no significant change in the curriculum this past year. Means are under way for the introduction of an agricultural course to be offered next year. The probability of such an offering for next year will depend upon the possibility of securing an adequate building, equipment and instructor.

The fine spirit of cooperation demonstrated in so many ways by so many interested groups during the past year and for so many years past is herein gratefully acknowledged and deeply appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

FRIEND H. JENKINS,

Headmaster

# REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of the Haverhill  
School District:

I herewith submit my first annual report as Su-  
perintendent of Schools:

1946-1947

Different pupils registered in district during year 328  
Average membership (to nearest whole No.)

Elementary 221

High School 61

Percent of attendance 92.95

Pupils not absent or tardy during year 18

Cases of tardiness 401

Number 8-14 not attending any school None

Non-resident pupils:

Elementary 11

High School 4

Pupils whose tuitions were paid by  
district elsewhere:

Elementary 35

High School 14

Pupils transported at district expense:

Elementary 80

High School 52

School Board Meetings held 9

Visits by Superintendent 96

Visits by citizens 181

Visits by School Board Members 4



Roll of honor for perfect attendance for the full year:

North Haverhill	Haverhill
Doris Irwin	James O'Connor
Ann Douglas	
Charles Hanson	High School
Evelyn Irwin	
Stanley Fadden	Harold Joslin
Emily Gay	Alice Aremburg
Charles Irwin	Donald White
John Tegu	Dorothy Bruce
	Marvin Gay
C. Haverhill	Robert Swan
Dean Clark	Douglas Tabor

Pike

Harold Sanders

Promoted June, 1947, from 8th Grade to High School:

Pike

Pryde Bean	William Pike
Dorothy Bixby	Marilyn Reed
William Merrill	Harold Sanders

Benjamin Young

C. Haverhill

Lawrence Clough	Frank Shallow
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Haverhill

Carmen Fournier	Delphine Wheeler
Lorraine Millette	Conrad Fournier
Sharon Thornburn	Howard Presby
	Thomas Verrill

No. Haverhill

Jessie Carr	Stanley Fadden
Robert Dennis	Charles Irwin
Virginia Dennis	Park Patton
	Connie Willis



Summaries of Movements of Pupils through Grades:

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Tot
North Haverhill	10	14	10	13	12	11	14	11	....	....	....	....	95
Haverhill Center	3	3	2	3	4	5	4	2	....	....	....	....	26
Pike	10	7	9	10	5	8	8	7	....	....	....	....	64
Haverhill Corner	13	8	9	9	5	11	9	8	....	....	....	....	72
Haverhill Academy	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	18	21	16	16	71

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Teachers and Pupils

The School District of Haverhill was fortunate indeed in retaining so many members of its previous teaching staff, having to replace only three of the fifteen teachers employed in the district last June. The complete faculty at the Academy returned under the loyal and efficient leadership of Headmaster Jenkins, as did the staff at North Haverhill, with Mr. James Morrill as principal. Mrs. Ellen Chase of Bath was employed to teach grades seven and eight, at Haverhill Corner replacing Miss Martha White. Mrs. Chase, a graduate of Mt. Holyoke College, has had many years of teaching experience, and altho retired, joins the ranks of many, who loyal to the profession, again accepts teaching positions. At Pike, Mr. Wilfred Gendron was secured to teach grades five through eight, replacing Rev. R. B. Nichols. A resident of Barre, Vermont, Mr. Gendron has had several years of teaching experience in the schools of Maine. The third position, left vacant by Mrs. Palmer at the Center Haverhill school, was filled by the return of Mrs. Emily Morrill of Pike, who had taught previously in the same school. The administration was unable to secure a teacher for the proposed course of Agriculture and Shop Mechanics at the Academy. This problem is still being considered by the Board. For the area, Mrs. Christie Goodwin of Piermont replaced Mr. Childs as Music Supervisor.

Building and Grounds

Major improvements were made at the Academy during the summer in the renovating and redecorating

of the domestic science laboratory, physics and chemistry laboratory and the basement rooms. The planning committee in charge of this project is to be commended for its efficiency. Playground equipment has been provided for the Corner school in the form of basketball standards and volley ball equipment on the campus. Added equipment for the primary grades is needed. The housing condition in the Corner school building is not good. Seventy-five pupils are seated in a space normally recommended for sixty. This problem is being studied by your Board and we hope for better conditions next year. The current theme of education stresses the "growth of the whole child" which includes physical and moral growth, as well as mental. This goal can be attained much more rapidly by good housing facilities.

The Report of the School Board and that of Headmaster Jenkins merit your attention.

It has afforded me much happiness to have been welcomed so graciously into your community, not only by the pupils, teachers and School Board members, but by the citizens of Haverhill in general, who have been most cordial. It is my desire to merit this honor.

My sincere gratitude is here expressed to all concerned in the greatest industry in New Hampshire—the Public School.

Respectfully,

PHIL A. BENNETT,

Superintendent of Schools

Haverhill, N. H., January 8, 1948

## NURSE'S REPORT

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Number of pupils examined 296

Defects		Corrections	
Teeth	127	Teeth	77
Tonsils	10	Tonsils	8
Defective Breathing	6	Adenoids	7
Vision	13	Vision	9
		Lens Changed	5

### Cases of Communicable Diseases:

Chickenpox	63	Measles	91
Pediculosis	11	Skin disease	18
School Visits	96	Home Visits	154

Respectfully submitted,

L. M. B. UNDERHILL,

School Nurse

## BIRTHS

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*Date, Name of Child, Name of Father, Maiden Name of Mother*  
Dec. 28, 1946 Reginald Kemmer Rowell, Reginald Lewis Rowell, Virginia Wilson Kemmer.

### 1947

- Jan. 8 Althea Elsie McConnell, Forrest Franklin McConnell, Althea Elsie Nelson.
- Jan. 17 Richard Wm. Coulter, Jr., Richard William Coulter, Eunice Myrtle Rogers.
- Jan. 27 Brian John Kennedy, John Buckley Kennedy, Doris Irene Austin.
- Feb. 12 Joanne Louise Wilkins, Lawrence Ellis Wilkins, Ida V. Martin Perkins.
- Feb. 14 Nancy Carol Page, Roy William Page, Dorothy Maude Hastings.
- Feb. 21 Cheryl Diane Barber, James Henry Barber, Verna Annie Brown.
- Feb. 26 Carroll David Bruce, Henry Harris Bruce, Edna Mae French.
- Mar. 11 Charles Wayland George, Jr., Chas. Wayland George, Sr., Susan Louise LaFrance.
- Apr. 3 Diana Alberta Farley, Frank Melvin Farley, Lucy Rebecca Dutton.
- Apr. 11 Evelyn Joyce Elms, Charles V. Elms, Virginia Ruth Hicks.
- Apr. 6 William Chas. Robinson, Jr., Wm. Chas. Robinson, Sr., Priscilla May Worden.
- Apr. 18 Rilla Ann Henderson, Henry James Henderson, Dorothy Rilla Langford.
- Apr. 25 Rosalie Locke, Lyman Earl Locke, Jean Elma Rogers.
- Apr. 5 Florence Louise Young, Arthur William Young, Hannah Mae Emery.
- Apr. 25 Carol Anne Stearns, Henry Culter Stearns, Anna Beatrice Bernatowicz.
- May 4 Joyce Ann Delaney, Francis Thomas Delaney, Sadie Drusella Lavender.
- May 5 Jeanette Thayer Larty, John Edmond Larty, Ruth Wells Field.
- May 11 Peggy Ann Campbell, Wendell Louis Campbell, Bertriana M. Bringham.
- May 21 Ashley Adelbert Wing, Don Adelbert Wing, Kay Alice Cooper.
- May 24 Judith Linda Robinson, Fred Kinsley Robinson, Audrey Laurel George.



- May 29 David George Paronto, George Joseph Paronto, Marjorie Dieana Clement.
- May 29 Spencer Ward Noyes, Roscoe Arthur Noyes, Dorothy Mae Chesney.
- May 30 Cathy Arlene Page, Alex Page, Blanche Irene Estes.
- May 31 Russell Lee Keniston, Nathan Edward Keniston, Mildred E. Greenley.
- May 19 David Marshall Fuller, Marshall Whiting Fuller, Ulanda Louise Chepren
- June 3 Rita Esther Donovan, Thomas V. Donovan, Thelma P. Shortsleeve.
- June 8 Michael Owen Blair, Glenn Warren Blair, Iola Ellice Moulton.
- May 28 Lovenia Lois Sanborn, Louis Edward Hobbs, Eunice Vera Sanborn.
- June 5 Susan Petre Bishop, Harold Richard Bishop, Maxine Eliz. Morrill.
- June 21 Donald Wayne Jordan, Raymond Levall Jordan, Hilda Maciel.
- June 22 Jean Carol Kimball, Frank Harold Kimball, Velma Angeline Hood.
- June 30 Wilfred Clayton Hill, Jr., Wilfred Clayton Hill, Sr., Elsie June McCullough.
- July 9 Donald Ray Griggs, Gordon Kenneth Griggs, Katherine L. Chandler.
- July 15 Francis Wayne Bouchard, George Ernest Bouchard, Dorothy Irene Millette.
- July 21 Jane Irene Fearon, Glen Roswell Fearon, Thelma Ruth Whitehill.
- July 22 Wanda Jean Clough, Roland Fred'k Clough, Florence B. McQuesten.
- July 25 James Kenneth Tyler, Kenneth Leroy Tyler, Katherine L. Lataurnau.
- July 29 Michael Bernard Whalen, Bernard James Whalen, Lillian I. Carpenter.
- July 26 Katherine Jeanne Conrad, Paul Ashton Sawyer, Florence Gladys Conrad.
- Aug. 1 Gail Louise Scudder, Ralph C. Scudder, Jr., Joan Amanda Frevert.
- Aug. 18 Gary Newton Darling, Newton Hall Darling, Addie Mae Carpenter.
- Aug. 21 Joseph Allan Hobbs, Leon Raymond Hobbs, Dorothy E. St. Marie.
- Aug. 2 Baby Boy Hood, Horace Nathaniel Hood, Norine Celesta Elliott.
- Sept. 4 Kareen Lee Carle, Wilson Joseph Carle, Geraldine Mary Millette.

- Sept. 6 Gilbert William Daniels, Andrew Anthony Daniels, Laurain Dorothy Grenier.
- Sept. 7 Richard Patten, Philip Moulton Patten, Tharon Lorraine Wheeler.
- June 6 Daniel Richard Fisher, Jr., Daniel R. Fisher, Sr., Katherine C. Schwartz.
- Sept. 11 Sally Marie Keyes, Luther Cotton Keyes, Margaret O'Malley.
- Sept. 13 Baby Boy Worden, Shirley Worden, Ruth Evelyn Curtis.
- Oct. 6 Barbara Rose Dargie, Albert Louis Dargie, Eunice May Cox.
- Oct. 8 Joan Darling, Wallace Darling, Arlene Johnson.
- Oct. 11 James Lincoln Bradley, James Alexander Bradley, Virginia Lee Dow.
- Oct. 16 Robert Joseph Locklin, Robert Kenneth Locklin. Rita Ellen Bishop.
- Oct. 19 Richard Charles Bailey, Robert Elias Bailey, Elizabeth V. Duprius.
- Oct. 17 Alden Dean Thompson, Alden Clair Thompson, Jeanette R. Wheeler.
- Oct. 17 Judith Ellen Veayo, George Nelson Veayo, Doris Louise Hobart.
- Oct. 17 Leslie Eve Horne, Forrest Russell Horne, Joyce Elaine Carpenter.
- Oct. 22 Robert Anthony Maccini, Joseph Maccini, Evangeline A. Merrill.
- Oct. 25 Betty Ann McLean, Clifton Earl McLean, Virginia D. LaMarr.
- Oct. 26 Gloria Louise Blake, Earle Russell Blake, Gloria Louise Cassady.
- Nov. 9 Linda Lee DeRosia, Joseph Warren DeRosia, Ona Laura Robinson.
- Oct. 2 Diane Marie Millette, Chas. Abbott Millette, Jr., Laurette Odile Greenwood.
- Oct. 22 Ezra Bartlett Mann, III, Ezra Bartlett Mann, II, Marion Frances Smith.
- Nov. 12 James Ralph Foote, Haven Leslie Foote, Catherine Ann Sullivan.
- Nov. 15 Donald Harry Bigelow, Arthur Donald Bigelow, Evelyn Cynthia Cross.
- Nov. 19 Robert Perley Moses, Chas. William Moses, Jr., Dorothy May Learned.
- Nov. 21 John Wilson O'Connor, James Warren O'Connor, Ruth Wiley.
- Nov. 27 Douglas Philip Haynes, Douglas Raymond Haynes, Eleanor Elizabeth Langway.



- Nov. 8 Stephen Alexander Pendo, Anatole George Pendo,  
Reba Eleanor Thompson.
- Dec. 8 David Alan Taylor, Harold O. Taylor, Jr., Margaret  
Frances Church.
- Dec. 11 Lora Lue Herron, Raymond Willard Herron, Leona  
Mary Shute.
- Dec. 11 Cora Cynthia Prescott, Richard Melvin Prescott,  
Charlotte Harriet Millette.
- Dec. 13 Dorothy Hilma Stone, Frank Bernard Stone, Ardell  
Pauline Hood.
- Dec. 18 Ruth Ann Streeter, Ralph Ray Streeter, Ethel Flor-  
ence Ladeau.
- Dec. 23 Carol Ann Kennedy, John Buckley Kennedy, Doris  
Irene Austin.
- Dec. 29 Jane Ellen Adams, Douglas Alton Adams, Vida Mae  
Spinney.

## MARRIAGES

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<i>Date,</i>	<i>Name of Groom,</i>	<i>Residence,</i>	<i>Name of Bride,</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Jan. 1	Donald Adelbert Wing,	Woodsville,	Kay Alice Cooper,	Woodsville.
Jan. 11	George E. O'Bertin,	Woodsville,	Lillian George,	Whitefield.
Jan. 1	Andrew Anthony Daniels,	Groton, Vt.,	Laurian D.	Hatch, Woodsville.
Jan. 27	Ned Arden Case,	Erie, Penna.,	Veronica R. McCarthy,	Woodsville.
Feb. 1	Shirley Worden,	Woodsville,	Ruth Curtis,	East Haverhill.
Mar. 9	Paul Ellis Wright,	Pike,	Ola Elizabeth Hillsgrove,	Dover.
Mar. 22	Stanley Emery,	No. Haverhill,	Geraldine M. Johnson,	No. Haverhill.
Mar. 9	Earle Russell Blake, Jr.,	East Haverhill,	Gloria Louise Cassady,	Woodsville.
Apr. 19	Milton Harold MacDonald,	Woodsville,	Natalie C. Ruggles,	Woodsville.
Apr. 21	Leo Wilfred Fortier,	No. Haverhill,	Ida Martha Houston,	Wells River, Vt.
May 7	Milton John Montgomery,	Woodsville,	Charlotte M. Beckwith,	Woodsville.
May 17	Leon Edward Dargie,	No. Haverhill,	Gloria Mary Faufaw,	Woodsville.
May 21	Harry W. Stoddard,	Woodsville,	Almyra Page Munroe,	Woodsville.
June 14	John Joseph O'Donnell,	Manchester,	Rita K. Gallagher,	Woodsville.
June 14	Donald H. Fullerton,	Woodsville,	Barbara Reed,	No. Haverhill.
Apr. 12	Dale Elden LaVoice,	Haverhill,	Kathryn M. Murphy,	Providence, R. I.
June 28	Newton Hall Darling,	Woodsville,	Addie May Burt,	Woodsville.
July 12	Kendall Mason Dolbeare,	Wakefield, Mass.,	Rita May Mitchell,	Woodsville.
July 6	Bernard Leroy Cox,	E. Haverhill,	Louisa C. Rivard,	E. Haverhill.
July 6	William Chas. Judge,	Guildhall, Vt.,	Dorothy Violet Weden,	Woodsville.
July 19	William Arthur Austin,	Woodsville,	Marjorie Alice Cummings,	Woodsville.

- June 14 Frank Dawson Robie, Woodsville, Joan Esther Couture, Waterville, Me.
- July 25 Malcolm Burton Grimes, Pike, Eleanor Lorebelle Maxfield, Bath.
- July 20 Raymond Stevens Haynes, Pike, Madelene Day Heath, Pike.
- Aug. 8 Harold Batchelder, Woodsville, Vera Penroy Lingo, Woodsville.
- Aug. 14 Carroll Theodore Hastings, Woodsville, Martha Charlotte Rowden, Woodsville.
- Aug. 16 James Silsby Knight, Woodsville, Mary Elizabeth Ward, Woodsville.
- Aug. 16 Wilson William Keith, Woodsville, Virginia L. Lapham, Wells River, Vt.
- Aug. 23 Edward Willis Bixby, Woodsville, Audrey Wilson Driscoll, Woodsville.
- Aug. 17 John Murdock Conrad, Jr., Pike, Betty Mae Thompson, Pike.
- Sept. 1 Roland Mearl Belyea, Pike, Lydia Ella Derosia, Glenclyff.
- Sept. 14 Richard Clarence Bailey, Woodsville, Doris Manola Pike, Woodsville.
- Sept. 14 Ernest Preston George, Woodsville, Helen June Brown, Woodsville.
- Sept. 19 Walter Henry Lord, Jr., Woodsville, Allene Charlotte Brown, Woodsville.
- Sept. 20 Richard Erving Shaw, Medford, Mass., Erlene May Locke, Woodsville.
- Sept. 20 Richard Charles DiMeco, Keene, Sally Harris Gilman, Woodsville.
- Sept. 22 Fred Jackson Shores, Woodsville, Charlotte W. Caseley, Woodsville.
- May 17 Paul Ashton Sawyer, Woodsville, Margaret Maria Bean, St. Johnsbury, Vt.
- Oct. 4 William Henry Tuttle, Swanton, Vt., Florence L. Boutin, Woodsville.
- Oct. 3 William Otis Gilman, Woodsville, Arline Helen Colbeth, Wells River, Vt.
- Oct. 17 Maxwell Ellwin Wilson, Haverhill, Thelma A. Hood, Pike.
- Oct. 10 Maurice L. Bigelow, Haverhill, Alice E. Smith, No. Haverhill.
- Nov. 1 Irving Davis Coon, Woodsville, Pandora Bolos, Woodsville.
- Nov. 8 Rupert Frank Millette, Woodsville, Lucille Corrinne Thornton, Woodsville.

- Nov. 5 Harvey Willard Webster, Pike, Susan May Edson,  
Pike.
- Nov. 15 James Mark Sweeney, Jr., Woodsville, Leona Jean  
Buck, St. Johnsbury, Vt.
- Nov. 19 Thomas Barber, No. Haverhill, Lynne Rutherford  
Ryea, No. Haverhill.
- Oct. 8 Douglas R. Haynes, Woodsville, Eleanor Elizabeth  
Langway, Woodsville.
- Nov. 15 Wyman Alonzo Darby, Woodsville, Arlene Eva Den-  
nis, Groton, Vt.
- Dec. 5 Louis Edward Hobbs, Woodsville, Eunice Vera San-  
born, Woodsville.
- Dec. 27 Leigh Dorr Gove, Woodsville, Emma Loraine El-  
dredge,, Woodsville.
- Dec. 31 James Clayton Lackie, Woodsville, Louine Marion  
Knighton, Wells River, Vt.

## DEATHS

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*Date, Name, Age, Years, Months, Days*

1947

Jan. 5 Beatrice Judy Frink, 58 years, 9 months, 15 days.  
Jan. 6 Henry Olliver Pelletier, 57 years, 8 months, 9 days.  
Jan. 6 Cyrus Batchelder, 89 years, 1 month, 14 days.  
Jan. 25 Edith Bethia Gibson Miller, 81 years, 10 months.  
Jan. 30 Clara Tabor, 76 years, 6 months.  
Feb. 10 George Blake, 76 years, 6 months.  
Feb. 16 Baby Page, 2 days.  
Feb. 19 George Thomas Hill, 66 years, 5 months, 1 day.  
Feb. 8 Ada May Barber, 63 years, 4 months, 20 days.  
Mar. 18 Dorothy E Bean, 49 years, 3 months, 5 days.  
Apr. 7 Ina Pratt Dean, 82 years, 10 months, 28 days.  
Mar. 31 Abbie M. George, 86 years, 2 months, 21 days.  
Apr. 24 Mae Nelson Taisey, 79 years, 4 months, 24 days.  
Apr. 25 William Charles Robinson, Jr., 19 days.  
May 6 Mrs. Florence Palmer, 63 years, 8 months, 21 days.  
May 16 Freeman Welch, 58 years, 1 month, 23 days.  
May 23 Thais Catherine Ladouceur, 93 years, 19 days.  
May 29 Ellen Batchelder, 83 years, 5 months, 28 days.  
June 24 Valaire Poulin, 36 years, 7 months, 24 days.  
Apr. 16 Harriet Kearney, 73 years, 18 days.  
Apr. 30 Helen Reeves, 88 years, 3 months, 9 days.  
June 27 Clifton Moody, 50 years, 7 months, 5 days.  
June 24 Manley S. Coffrin, 68 years.  
June 24 Neal B. Nutter, 55 years, 2 months, 21 days.  
June 28 Clinton Clarence Hill, 76 years, 7 months, 21 days.  
June 29 Edwin C Kimball, 21 years, 8 months.  
June 30 Guy W. Flanders, 69 years, 4 months, 19 days.  
Aug. 15 Sadie Irwin, 74 years, 6 days.  
Aug. 23 Nettie L. Downing, 74 years, 2 months, 17 days.  
July 14 Alex R. Davis, 74 years, 7 months, 24 days.  
Sept. 5 William Blair, 85 years, 11 months, 29 days.  
Sept. 13 Baby Boy Worden, 57 minutes.  
Sept. 24 Josephine Thayer Mann, 68 years, 2 months, 19 days.  
July 4 Fred Drew, 70 years, 1 month, 11 days.  
Aug. 15 Fred Pike, 88 years, 4 months, 11 days.  
Oct. 4 Lula Mae Getchell, 70 years, 6 months, 8 days.  
Oct. 18 Moses Herbert Pillsbury, 79 years, 7 months, 20 days.



Oct. 17 Frank Robert Dean, 94 years, 4 months.  
Aug. 4 William Emery True, 24 years, 1 month, 14 days.  
Nov. 6 Clara E. Perkins, 93 years, 4 months, 12 days.  
Nov. 8 Lyman B. Marden, 76 years, 10 months, 20 days.  
Nov. 11 Lea Trembley, 74 years, 4 months, 24 days.  
Nov. 22 Willis Kelley, 78 years, 2 months, 12 days.  
Nov. 29 Bertha May Kelley, 73 years, 11 months, 19 days.  
Nov. 3 Josephine Bedor, 88 years, 10 months, 20 days.  
Nov. 9 Frederick Church, 71 years, 6 months, 28 days.  
Nov. 14 Fred Randall, 77 years, 7 months, 18 days.  
Dec. 1 George Henry Spinney, 30 years, 5 months, 22 days.  
Dec. 28 Lewis Carrol Richardson, 92 years, 4 months, 24 days.  
Dec. 18 Alice M. Cryan, 59 years, 6 months, 4 days.  
Dec. 24 Annie Barry, 69 years, 4 months.



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## Old Landmark Presented to Ross-Wood Post for Legion Home

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The Home of the Ross-Wood Post No. 20, American Legion was originally one of the oldest inns in the North Country. It was one of the landmarks of the community.

The property was purchased and presented to the Post by Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Rouhan, in memory of their nephew, James Jackson, who died in action in the South Pacific.

The Post has completely renovated the old building inside and out. It is now a fine, well equipped home for the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary.

The money for the alterations of this property was raised through gifts, public subscription, parties, dances and carnivals sponsored by the Post and Auxiliary, all of which were well supported by the community.

The Ross-Wood Post and Auxiliary are deeply grateful to the community for their fine Home.

